

**STORE AT TOLBERT
ROBBED; LOSS SET
AT ALMOST \$1,000****Burglars Make Off With
Cargo Of Merchandise
—Missing Shoe Heel
Is Only Clew In Case**

The general merchandise store of G. L. Rose, at Tolbert, was burglarized last Wednesday night and goods valued at nearly \$1,000 were stolen. The burglars secured entrance by prizing open the door with a crowbar. The loss was reported to the sheriff's department and Sheriff Frank Edmondson telegraphed peace officers in all nearby county seat towns on both sides of Red River to be on the lookout for the merchandise and the thieves.

The men are believed to have loaded their loot into a Ford car or truck. They left practically no clues by which officers could learn their identity or the route they took after the burglary. One of the men is believed to have had a heel missing from his shoe.

Among the articles stolen were a 12 gauge pump shotgun with a sawed off barrel, a .32 calibre single shot rifle, a quantity of plug tobacco, nine cans of coffee, several cartons of cigarettes, three suits of men's underwear, two sacks of meal, four or five pairs of work shoes, five pairs of ladies' shoes, three wagon wheels, three pairs of overshoes, three wool shirts, three red sweaters, 10 pairs of buckskin gloves, a box of silk thread, three boxes of blue work shirts, several pairs of children's rubber boots, and a quantity of children's overshoes.

Mr. Rose has authorized a \$50 reward for the recovery of the stolen articles. It is the belief of officers working on the case that the burglary was the work of transients, who will attempt to dispose of the goods through some "fence" working in one of the large cities.

**D. J. LEWIS CHOSEN
AS CITY POLICEMAN****COMMITTEE APPOINTED TO DEAL
WITH LIGHT AND POWER
QUESTION**

D. J. Lewis of Vernon was chosen at a meeting of the city commission Saturday to fill the place on the police force vacated by Sheriff Frank Edmondson. Mr. Lewis was reared in this county.

The city decided to pay \$75 a month until Jan. 1 toward the salary of a special traffic officer and to duplicate any amount paid by the county not to exceed \$50 a month after that date.

Mayor Harry Mason and Commissioners Blackwood and Rogers were empowered to take any action deemed necessary in connection with the municipal bond issue for a light and power plant. G. J. Rossman, manager of the Texas Central Power company, which takes over the property of the North Texas Power and Light company next week, made a talk to the commission, telling some of the things his company proposes to do to improve service here.

**CHILLICOTHE FARMERS ARE
BUSY SOWING SMALL GRAIN**

Considerable cotton remains in the fields around Chillicothe, stated C. H. Rhodes, a farmer of the Chillicothe community, Saturday. Mr. Rhodes was in Vernon on a business trip. A lot of wheat is being sown since the rains he stated. A good season is in the ground following the downpour of last week.

Mr. Rhodes' daughter, Miss Gertrude, is recovering from an operation for appendicitis, performed recently at the Baptist sanitarium at Dallas, he stated.

Sheriff Goes to Breckenridge

Sheriff Frank Edmondson left Sunday for Breckenridge, where he was summoned as a witness in a district court case. He is expected to return tonight. Chief Deputy J. M. Keese is in charge of the office during his absence.

Married At Drug Store

Jim Dillon and Miss Susie Stuckey, of Kirkland, Tex., were married at the Vernon Drug Store at 9:30 a. m. Monday. Rev. Thomas E. Milholland performed the ceremony. The couple will make their home in Kirkland.

**HURLEY SEES SHIPPING
BUSINESS INCREASING****Edward N. Hurley**

Edward F. Hurley, former chairman of the U. S. Shipping Board, sees a greater future for the shipping business of the Pacific Coast as a result of the San Francisco conference, where rival lines sought their differences. He decries prohibition on American vessels.

**BIG DAIRY FARM TO
BE STARTED DEC. 1****ENTERPRISE TO BE LOCATED ON
OLD CHITWOOD PLACE
IN EDGE OF TOWN**

J. R. Dessick, experienced dairy and poultry man, and C. S. Rutledge have completed plans for the establishment of a big dairy, poultry and hog farm on the 80 acre tract of land known as the old Chitwood place. The tract is located in southeast Vernon, just inside the city limits, and on this land the first dairy farm in Wilbarger county was located.

The new enterprise will start functioning the first of December, Mr. Messick stated yesterday. The dairy will be as sanitary as modern methods can make it, he declared. Concrete floors will be laid in the barn now located on the place and sewerage will be installed in the barn. All the cows will be tested for tuberculosis. The dairy herd will be Jerseys and Holsteins.

Mr. Messick, who will be in charge of the enterprise, also stated that five or six acres of the land will be used for chicken yards. Blooded fowls will be raised—white Wyandottes and white leghorns.

Mr. Messick will start in the hog industry with a good grade of stock hogs, he stated, but it is planned to turn later to pure bred big boned Poland Chinas. He already has 10 registered Poland China pigs.

Mr. Messick has resided in Wilbarger county since 1911, with the exception of about a year spent in Tarrant county. For a time he ran the J. R. Messick and Sons dairy in Vernon. Since returning from Central Texas he has been engaged in farming.

"We expect to start milk deliveries Dec. 1," he said. "When we get things lined up we want the public to feel free to come out and inspect our dairy at any time."

**LIGHT COMPANY WILL RECEIVE
DEISEL ENGINE IN JANUARY**

The Texas Central Power Company, which has recently acquired the local interest of the Texas Public Service company, is expecting its new Deisel oil engine to arrive in Vernon the latter part of January, according to J. G. Rossman, local representative of the new concern.

Mr. Rossman is in receipt of a telegram from company headquarters at San Antonio, advising him that the company had contracted for the engine to be shipped from the factory during the early part of January.

W. C. T. U. To Meet Thursday

The Vernon W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of J. A. Carney Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock, when an interesting program will be rendered.

Cecil Storey left today for El Paso to look after legal business. Mr. Storey is expecting to be gone about a week.

**WILBARGER COUNTY
RAISES \$3,500,000
WORTH OF COTTON****Crop Exceeds Early Estimate
By 7,000 Bales;
Yield Is Best West Or
North Of Fort Worth**

Wilbarger county has gained 27,657 bales of cotton this fall, according to data gathered by the Record today from all gins in the county except one, and an estimate on this which can not be far wrong. This total exceeds by 7,000 bales the estimates made early in the season, while enough cotton remains in the fields to run the final figures for 1922 to nearly 27,000 bales. The total for last year was about 23,500 bales.

Wilbarger county has raised more cotton this year than any other county located west or northwest of Fort Worth. With not more than a fourth of the area planted to the staple which big cotton raising counties of Central Texas put in this year, it has raised a third as much as any county in the state.

On the sandy land, which resists drought better than the black land, the yield has run from a third to a half a bale per acre, with many individual instances of a bale to the acre, and a few even higher than that. On the light land the yield, while light, was still better than in many cotton centers of the state.

Outlook Is Encouraging

At prevailing prices, a very conservative estimate would indicate that Wilbarger county farmers have received \$3,500,000 for their cotton this fall. Banks, business men and all the elements which go to make up the life of the county have felt the stimulating effect of the good cotton crop. With prospects very bright for a bumper wheat yield, livestock prices on the upgrade, and the demand for poultry and dairy products brisk, farmers of this county are perhaps as fortunate as those of any section in the Southwest.

The fine fall weather, which enabled cotton growers to harvest their crop without damage to the staple, has been an encouraging factor in this year's movement to market. According to local buyers, practically no low-grade cotton has been marketed in Vernon.

Vernon gins handled 10,198 bales, while other gins turned out 15,500 bales, the reports show.

The figures:

City Gins	
Vernon	2,177
Peoples	2,370
Farmers	2,170
F. & M.	1,005
Planters	2,475
County Gins	
Tolbert	675
Parsley Hill	1,215
Odell	3,925
Harrold	616
Elliott	535
Rayland	1,620
Fargo	1,928
Farmers Valley	749
Oklaunion (Estimated)	560 and 1,250
Lockett	2,225

Infant Is Christened Sammie June

Sammie June is the name given to the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Porterfield. She was born Nov. 12 and she and Mrs. Porterfield are getting along nicely.

**FARMER IS CHARGED
WITH COTTON THEFT**

Hiram Templeton, a tenant farmer who has been residing on the D. H. Henry farm, is in jail on a complaint sworn out by the sheriff's department charging felony theft, following his arrest Saturday at Waureka, Okla. It is alleged that he sold a bale of cotton belonging to Mr. Henry, a local cotton buyer being the purchaser.

He was arrested by Waureka authorities on information furnished by Sheriff Frank Edmondson. Ruben Bailey, deputy, left here Saturday for Waureka and returned Sunday with Templeton.

Young People to Study Mission Book. The Young People's Missionary society of the First Methodist church will meet at 3:30 p. m. Friday at the home of Mrs. J. B. Morris, on West Texas street, to begin study of the book "Playing Square with Tomorrow." All young people of the church are asked to attend.

NEW FIGURE IN HALL-MILLS MURDER.**Edwin Carpenter, Jr.**

Among the closest advisers of Mrs. Frances Stevens Hall, widow of the slain New Brunswick (N. J.) minister, is Edwin Carpenter, a wealthy cousin.

**W. M. CREAGER DIES
OF HEART FAILURE****FUNERAL SERVICES HELD AT
FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
INTERMENT IN EASTVIEW**

W. M. Creager, 53 years old, died suddenly at his home at Electra at 7:30 a. m. Monday. Death was due to heart failure. Mr. Creager has been a resident of this county about 41 years. At the time of his death he was engaged in the wholesale gasoline and oil business.

A short funeral service was held at Electra at 10 a. m. today and a service at the First Methodist church of Vernon at 2 p. m. Dr. Robert E. Dickson officiating. Interment was in Eastview cemetery, under direction of the Masonic lodge.

Mr. Creager is survived by his wife, his father, J. A. Creager, of Vernon; three brothers, J. H. of Fort Worth, J. P. of Vernon and L. H. of Mineral Wells; and three sisters, Mrs. F. D. Little, of Electra, Miss Nina Creager, of Vernon, and Mrs. W. S. Overton of Oklahoma.

He was born in Grayson county, and moved with his parents to Wilbarger county when he was 12 years old. He grew to manhood here and in his early twenties he went back to Grayson county and married Miss Mattie Goolery, his childhood sweetheart. No children survive him.

He was a member of the Masonic lodge at Lorenzo, Tex., and a charter member of the First Methodist church of Vernon. He joined the church when he was 11 years old.

**GRADUATE IN EXPRESSION TO
AID IN CHURCH SONG SERVICE**

Mr. and Mrs. Bertucci and Mrs. John Milholland have arrived here from Dallas for a few days' visit at the home of Rev. Thomas E. Milholland, minister of the Church of Christ. Mrs. Bertucci and Miss Julia are Rev. Milholland's daughters.

Mrs. Bertucci gave a very interesting reading at her father's Bible class at the church Monday morning. She is a post graduate in expression. She will read perhaps each night during the song drill which began Monday evening at 7:30 under the direction of Prof. T. S. Tedlie, and which will be held nightly this week.

Everyone who enjoys good singing is invited to attend the song service.

**WILBARGER FARMER RAISES
HEAVY MILO MAIZE CROP**

O. L. Haynes, living 18 miles southwest of Vernon, was a visitor in Vernon last Saturday.

Mr. Haynes reports one of the best feed crops he has raised in years. "I have five acres of Red Dwarf maize from which I gathered seven tons," said Mr. Haynes to a Record reporter. Mr. Haynes has been farming in Wilbarger for the past 15 years. He is farming on the W. W. Webb place this year.

**Lead Gander In Flock
Of Wild Geese Killed
By 18 Year Old Youth**

Louis Kiesling, 18 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kiesling, who reside 11 miles east of Vernon, qualified as a fancy wing shot late Friday afternoon when he brought down an eight pound wild goose.

Louis had started on a duck hunt to the Pease and Red Rivers, which unite a short distance from his home, his father stated Saturday while in Vernon. A gang of geese flew overhead while the youth was crossing a maize patch, and he killed the lead gander with one shot from a pump shotgun.

So far as is known, this is the first wild goose killed near Vernon this season.

Many wild ducks are to be found on Red River, Mr. Kiesling stated.

**FORTY-TWO TOURNAMENT WILL
BE HELD NEXT FRIDAY NIGHT**

A forty-two tournament will be held at the Elks' club rooms Friday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock and Friday evening from 8:30 to 10:30, according to announcement made today. The public is invited to attend the tournament. A moderate admission will be charged.

The affair is being staged under the auspices of the Home Science club. Proceeds from the sale of tickets will go to the civic improvement fund.

Leave To Attend State Meet

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mason and Jim Townsend left Sunday for Fort Worth, to attend the annual meeting of the Texas League of Municipalities. Delegates to the league were guests of the Fort Worth Kiwanis club at a luncheon Monday.

**VERNON TO MEET
SEYMOUR FRIDAY**

Vernon high school, undefeated this year except in one game with Wichita Falls, is scheduled to meet an equally strong adversary on the local grounds at 3 p. m. Friday, when the Seymour eleven takes the field. The only defeat suffered by Seymour this fall was at the hands of Graham, when won by three points.

The visitors are reported to have a good margin over the Vernon boys in weight, but is looking forward to a hard battle.

The lineup which will probably be used by Coach Galbraith follows: Rogers or Abbott, C.; Thompson, R. T.; Key or C. Reed, R. G.; Buchanan or Shive, C. B.; Reed, L. G.; Robinson, L. T.; Ferguson or Justin, L. E.; Hollar, Q.; Withers, R. H.; H. Bourland, L. H.; Walker, F. B. Hollar will command the battle from the field. In cases where two players are mentioned for one place they may be alternated, as has been done in most of the games this season.

**Hard to Figure Leader;
Race Extremely Close****Extra Special \$100 Cash Prize Offered During Second
Period To Candidates Entering Home
Stretch—Big Capital Prizes Await Winners In
Record's Epoch Making Contest****ON THE HOME STRETCH****Going Up!**

Swinging into line, all a-tingle with high hopes and ambition, candidates in the Record's now famous campaign, have swelled their vote totals to a wonderfully high mark and from now on to the finish it will be a pretty exciting race between the leaders.

The first period of the campaign, which closed Saturday night, was a tremendous success. Tens of thousands, yes hundreds of thousands of votes issued and every "live" candidate profited mightily.

It is a strange coincidence, too, and something unusual in affairs of this kind, but each of the leading candidates who is striving for first honors and the grand prizes, benefited so equally during the period just closed that, without hair-line figuring could today's leaders be determined.

The competition, therefore, so far as the relative standing of the candidates is concerned, depends almost entirely upon the results obtained by the various contestants between now and the finish as to who the ultimate winners will be.

The above is not "mere talk" for the sake of telling, but a real fact—theories or rumors notwithstanding. Hence, the struggle for supremacy will be fought out during the next few days, for the entire campaign comes to a fateful close in just a few weeks. The "Second Period" closes Saturday, December 2nd.

And now for the whirlwind finish. Now for the sensations and surprises. These are the days that will test the resourcefulness of the candidates. Here is where their courage unholds them and makes them fight, or the lack of it takes the stiffness out of their knees and leaves them trailing in the dust—an "also ran." There are times too, when the supreme courage urges them on when they tire, and that is the GAMEST FIGHT OF ALL.

VOTES WILL PILE UP RAPIDLY.

Votes will pile up rapidly during the next 12 days—that is while the "second period" schedule is in effect. While the second period schedule is less than that for the first, votes are so liberal that any candidate can take advantage of it and win. The decrease in the schedule between the first and second periods is not to be compared to that between the second and final periods.

**LION'S CLUB SEES
SLEIGHT OF HAND****OFFICIALS OF ORGANIZATION
WILL VISIT FREDERICK
NEXT FRIDAY NIGHT**

A. L. Haley, evangelistic singer and crayon illustrator, gave an exhibition of clever sleight-of-hand work at the regular weekly meeting and luncheon of the Lion's club. Tying and untying knots in a handkerchief, causing a glass of water to disappear, and many other tricks were performed. Mr. Haley was the only guest present at the meeting. His entertainment met with enthusiastic praise.

Adam Donges told fellow members of the Lions' club that he "took everything that was loose" when he exhibited seven birds from his prize-winning flock of buff orpingtons at the Monday poultry show. Mr. Donges praised the show and gave some interesting facts about the town and the section in which it is located.

The club decided to accept an invitation from Frederick Lions to attend a special meeting in the Oklahoma town Friday night. All officers of the local club and several of the other members are planning to attend the Frederick meeting. It is understood that a very special program has been arranged.

A letter from the American Legion asking the cooperation of the Lion's Club in aiding National Education Week, Dec. 3 to 9, was read. President Harding has promised to issue a proclamation designating the week on the above dates, the letter stated. It was decided that special emphasis would be laid on education at the meeting held the first week in December. The local post of the American Legion promised to furnish a speaker for the occasion.

**VETERANS PASS RESOLUTION
ON DEATH OF C. A. RICHIE**

A resolution expressing bereavement over the death of C. A. Richie, district clerk of Wilbarger county and a Civil War veteran, was passed Monday by Camp Cabell, No. 125, Confederate Veterans. The resolution is as follows: "The death of our beloved brother, C. A. Richie, makes our hearts sad, but our camp knowing him as we do, believe that he is better off. We are resolved to go to him and would not have him come back to us."

"L. H. STALCUP, Adjutant"

Then too, work is worth real cash this next 12 days. New subscriptions in addition to coming up in the vote score for the great capital prizes, count towards the \$100 to be awarded Saturday night, Dec. 2nd, for new subscriptions received this period. The special \$100 cash prize offer, which is independent and extra from the \$5,000 offered in big automobiles and cash prizes, is fully explained on another page of this issue.

Workers Have Added Incentive
Workers these coming 12 days have an added incentive—for \$100 extra money is something worth while.

The liveliest part of the competition is now at hand and while all the leaders are on the same footing, at the same time, those who want to and will, are afforded the opportunity of the entire campaign to forge ahead and coral the winning votes.

100 Per Cent Efficiency Counts
From now on until the finish is the time when one hundred per cent efficiency counts.

'Tis the coward who quits to misfortune.

'Tis the knave who changes each day
'Tis the fool who starts like a whirlwind.

Then throws all his chances away.
The time to succeed is when others

Discouraged show traces of fire;
The battle is fought on the home stretch.

And won't twist the flag and the wire.

Second Period
During the "second period" (these next 12 days) subscriptions will count big; in fact they count for almost as many now as during the first period just closed. For example: one six-year subscription counting 100,000 extra free votes allowed on 812 club counts 200,000 votes now where formerly 300,000 votes were given.

Better Be Safe Than Sorry

A few more laps and the course will have been run. Only a short time remains to choose between victory and defeat—success or failure. Don't overlook a single chance to better your opportunity to win. Avail yourself of every opportunity this period affords. Think and plan constantly, for this means success. Figure ways to win, and always remember that your adversaries, as keen perhaps and as resourceful as yourself are racking very acute brains for the same purpose.

It means something to win in a competition of this kind. It means up to \$1,485. It is a demonstration of capacity that is extraordinary. It proves a winning personality. Sometimes it proves up the "yellows" in our "bogs" friends and it always tests your nettle and measures your strength. And now the final home-stretch.

CITY'S NEW WATER SUPPLY ANALYZED

SHOWS PRACTICALLY SAME MINERAL CONTENT AS THAT IN MAINS

Water from the 21 acre tract near Condon Springs, from which the city hopes to obtain a portion of its supply as soon as a development program recently authorized can be completed, shows practically the same analysis as the city water now being used.

This is the statement of the International Filter company, which has analyzed samples of the Condon Springs water for the Central Texas Power company. The latter concern asked for an analysis in order to determine the fitness of the new supply for ice making.

"Although this water will require purification before being suitable for the manufacture of merchantable raw water ice," the statement reads, "Treatment will practically eliminate the calcium and magnesium carbonates, entirely eliminate the iron and suspended matter and greatly reduce the silica and change the calcium carbonate to the less objectionable calcium sulphate or sodium sulphate, with a result that the treated water will be suitable for the manufacture of raw water ice, provided the water is properly agitated with air while freezing, and the core water removed, if necessary, and replaced with purified water."

The laboratory estimates that the cost of treating the water in the manner outlined in the letter will be about one cent per ton of ice.

No Mineral Acidity

The analysis shows that the Condon Springs water has five parts of suspended matter per million, and a total of 543.14 parts of dissolved solids per million. Its hardness, expressed in terms of calcium carbonate, is given as 330 parts per million, its alkalinity at 300, as shown by its reaction to methyl orange, and its mineral acidity as zero.

In terms of chemical composition, the water shows 160 parts of calcium carbonate per million units, 120 parts of calcium chloride, 25 parts of magnesium sulphate, 14 parts of iron oxide, 28 parts of silica, five parts of suspended matter, 80 parts of sodium sulphate, 130 parts of sodium carbonate, and seven parts of carbon dioxide. Samples from the present city water supply were sent to the laboratory of the International Filter company last August.

NO REST—NO PEACE

There's no peace and little rest for the one who suffers from a bad back, and distressing urinary disorders. Vernon people recommend Doan's Kidney Pills. Ask your neighbors. Be guided by their experience.

Mrs. W. C. Ferguson, N. Bowie St., says: "My kidneys and back were in bad shape. My back ached day and night right through the small part of it and there was a dull, bearing-down pain through my hips. When I stooped I had sharp, cutting pains that caught me in the small of my back and I could hardly straighten again. My back was so sore I couldn't rest well at night. It felt as if every muscle in my body was lame. My kidneys were weak and irregular in action. I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised and decided to try them. After using one box of this medicine I was cured of the attack."

60c. at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y. (adv.)

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NOTE—THIS COUPON MUST BE IN BEFORE DECEMBER 1ST.

RUMANIAN FINANCIER ON VISIT TO U. S.



Eptime Antonescu, member of the Rumanian Supreme court and regarded as that nation's leading financial expert has arrived in America for conferences regarding Rumania's debt to the United States.

METHODISTS LEAD AT SUNDAY SCHOOL

BAPTISTS CLOSE SECOND; LARGE CROWDS REPORTED AT ALL CHURCHES

The First Methodist church took the lead again last Sunday in Sunday school attendance, with 425 members, and visitors present, compared with 421 at the First Baptist church. The Central Christian church had 206, the Church of Christ 190, and the Presbyterian church 163. The total of 1,403 represents a substantial increase over the average for the last two months.

Good attendance was reported at all church services. At the First Baptist church, Rev. Mims' place was taken by W. N. Stokes at the morning service and Dr. Brooks Green at the evening service. At the Central Christian church, where a revival was in progress, large congregations were in attendance. The singing and crayon drawing of A. L. Haley is a great attraction at the meeting.

The first Sunday afternoon service, held at the Pictorial Theater, drew a large crowd. Rev. Lewis P. Kopp, minister of the Central Christian church, made an address, and Mr. Haley did some of his crayon and song work. The two will be in charge of the service again next Sunday. Decision to hold the Sabbath afternoon service each week was made at a meeting of the pastors' association a week ago.

At the Church of Christ, O. E. Phillips, a representative of the Abilene Bible college, spoke at the morning hour. T. S. Tedlie was in charge of the song service. One person took membership in the church. Rev. Thomas B. Mitholland, minister of the church, spoke at the evening hour. The house was crowded at both meetings.

1,415 PUPILS NOW ENROLLED IN VERNON'S SCHOOL SYSTEM

Fourteen hundred and forty five pupils are now enrolled in the city school, Superintendent E. L. Dohoney stated this morning. This is a larger enrollment than was shown at the same time last year. Two new teachers have been employed since the opening of the school term. The first assumed her duties at the high school about Oct. 15. The second went to work last week. She is Mrs. Blanche Armstrong. She is teaching third and fourth grade classes at the Central school.

Mrs. Armstrong has taught three years in the city schools of Galveston and also taught in the Brookline public school, at Boston, Mass.

On account of the state teachers' institute being held at Houston, several hundred miles from Vernon, few if any teachers from this city will at

TRIBUTE PAID TO MRS. W. P. GARVIN

MISSIONARY SOCIETY PRAISES CHARACTER OF MEMBER WHO DIED OCT. 22

A high tribute to the character of Mrs. W. P. Garvin, who died at her home in Vernon on Oct. 22, following a long illness, is paid in resolutions adopted yesterday by the Woman's Missionary society of the First Methodist church, of which she was a member. Mrs. Garvin was the wife of Rev. W. P. Garvin, presiding elder of the Vernon district. The resolutions follow:

"On Sunday morning, Oct. 22, 1922, the Angel of Death entered the home of Rev. W. P. Garvin and waited the spirit of his beloved wife and helpmeet to its heavenly home, where sickness nor sorrow can enter.

"Whereas, in view of the loss our Woman's Missionary Society has sustained by the translation of this, our friend and sister from her earthly home to her home in heaven, and the still greater loss so keenly felt by her loved ones, therefore be it

"Resolved, that it is but a fitting tribute to the memory of our friend and sister to say that in her removal from our midst, we mourn for one whose influence for the higher nobler things will linger with us.

"Among her many Christian characteristics was her patience in affliction and her complete surrender to God's will, which made her life an inspiration to all who came in personal touch with her.

"Amid the glories of the brighter world, her tired and sick body has found rest and ease, her spirit, peace. "Resolved, that we bow in humble submission to this dispensation of an all-wise Father.

"May the comforting grace of God sustain the family in these hours of grief and loneliness and may each of them plan a triumph reunion with this loved one, in a fairer land over there, beyond the shadows of the present.

"Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be furnished the family, be sent to the Vernon papers, and be spread on the minutes.

"Respectfully submitted,

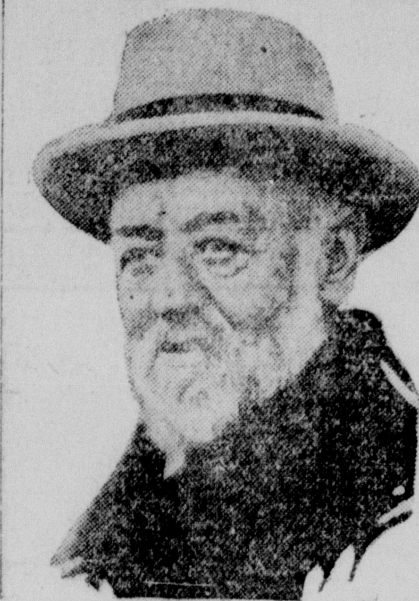
"Mrs. G. W. Backus, Mrs. T. M. Ferguson, Mrs. S. E. Lloyd.

"Approved by the president, W. M. S. M. E. Church, Vernon, Tex. Nov. 20, 1922.

"Mrs. Rena Watts."

tend, in Mr. Dohoney's belief. He stated that he may arrange to go. The institute will be held on Thanksgiving day and the two following days.

MILLIONAIRE PHILANTHROPIST SAVES THE BABIES



When he returned from a visit to Europe recently it was said of Nathan Strauss, millionaire New York philanthropist, that he has saved more babies than there were lives lost in the World War because of his munificent milk pasteurization charities in America.

LOCKETT

Lockett, Nov. 20.—Miss Wilma Lockett spent Saturday night in Vernon with Miss Opal Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hampton and children visited their daughter in Dallas last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lowe, of Vernon, visited Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Lockett Sunday.

Rev. Pat Murphy of Medicine Mound filled the pulpit at Lockett last Sunday morning.

Glenn Barnes of Vernon, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Pierce and Aubrey Phillips.

Rev. T. F. Johnson, who has charge of the Vernon circuit, filled the pulpit at Wesley Chapel Sunday and Sunday night. Rev. Johnson will preach every third Sunday and Sunday night for the coming year at Wesley Chapel, instead of every second Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Bagwell and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Pigg of Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Pigg and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ross visited Mr. and Mrs. Verdel Ross last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Duncan of Duncan, Okla., are visiting Mrs. J. W. Moorehead.

Hugh Hampton visited his sister in Dallas last week.

Frank Martin left Saturday for a visit to his parents at Petrolia.

H. and Ezra Cobb and E. H. Cato purchased new cars last week.

These in Vernon from Lockett Saturday were P. A. Blankenship, Mrs. Verma Weekley, Verena Chen, Vivian Meredith, Frank Sylvester, Miller Mer-

edith, F. S. Lockett, A. L. Vaughan, Lem and Miss Minnie Foster, T. E. Davis, Aubrey Lockett, Thurman Litchfield, J. N. Moorehead, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Henderson, Verdel Ross, Fred Goin, E. H. Tooley, Roscoe Wiseman, T. B. Leverett, Rudolph Hoofman Jr., Joe Goodman, J. B. and Ames Leverett, S. C. Davenport and J. G. Church.

Miss Naomi Lincecum, of Chillicothe visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lincecum, Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Leverett, of El Dorado, Okla., visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Leverett Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Ham, of Vernon, visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ham Wednesday and Thursday.

Willis and J. C. Cato of Fargo, are spending the week with their sister, Mrs. W. L. Martin.

F. S. and J. E. Lockett and C. H. Cato went to Tolbert Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ham visited in

Vernon last Tuesday.

Mrs. W. L. Martin visited her parents at Fargo Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Lockett are ill this week.

Mrs. H. W. Starnes visited relatives

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FACTS!

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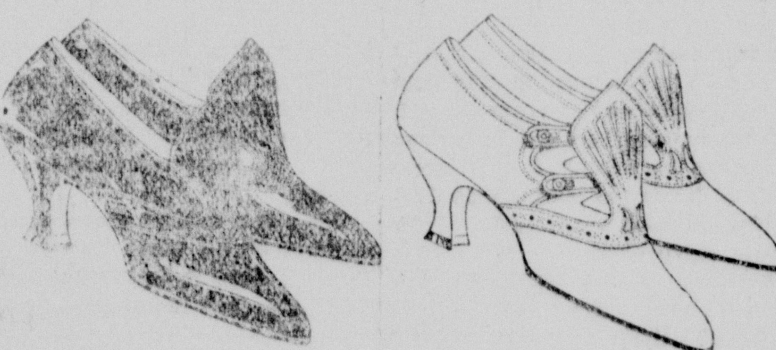


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ENTHUSIASM MARKS ELKS' COMEDY SHOW

CAST OF MORE THAN 200 IS NEARLY COMPLETED; REHEARSALS DAILY

Perhaps the most pretentious amateur performance which has ever been undertaken here will be the Elks' Christmas charity show, "Round the Clock With the Debutantes," a three act musical comedy novelty including 36 novelty features. The show will be staged under the direction of Mrs. Frankie Terrell Young, playwright-producer of 12 years' experience, who has spent much time under New York's best artists in the study of her art.

Rehearsals are under full sway, displaying an overwhelming measure of enthusiasm and inspiration and indicating that the more than 200 members of the cast will delight the large audience expected on the evenings of Dec. 6 and 7 at the Vernon Theatre. The large cast is now being very carefully selected and is almost complete. Rehearsals for the different groups have been under way for several days. The cast includes well known business men, society matrons, debutantes, sub-debs, and juvenile chorists groups, displaying loveliness and refinement seldom seen on the professional stage.

From the magic clock this well chosen cast will sing and dance and be featured in burlesque scenes and many novelties throughout the two hours and 15 minutes production, with no response to encores, no waits between scenes, and no long dramatic lines, but snappy, clever arrangements fashioned after recent Broadway successes.

The scenic and electrical effects are being very carefully arranged and nothing will be overlooked in the way of proper staging and with the delightful array of beautiful girls, charming voices, elaborate costumes, excellent stage management and music gracefully combined in making this snappy musical comedy a whirlwind of surprises, every one should be eager to do his bit in making it the success it has proved in other cities. While the show is being staged under the auspices of the Elks the whole city is taking part.

Last Christmas the Elks gave away more than 200 toys to children whom Santa Claus would otherwise have overlooked.

MUSICAL PROGRAM AT CHURCH OF CHRIST WELL ATTENDED

Over 100 persons took part in a musical program which began last night at the Church of Christ. Tillot S. Tedlie, a well known local musician, is directing the program of singing. Mrs. Knowlan Bertucci daughter of Elder Milholand, pleased the audience with her reading performances.

The program will continue the rest of the week, and probably extend into the following week, according to Mr. Tedlie.

VERNON BOYS ADD NICKLE TO PRICE PAID BY MONSIEUR, THE COUNT, FOR TURKEY TO FEAST THE HUNGRY "400"

The fat Turkey which forms the crowning triumph of many a dinner in fashionable New York homes Thanksgiving day will be a Wilbarger county product. Members of the "Four Hundred," who gather about a festive board while the pompous old butler beams in the background, will probably be too enamored of the tempting odor to wonder why or how the bird got there, and again it is not the habit of the "Four Hundred" to wonder at any blessing which falls into its lap, so to speak. Not that the turkey will fall in anybody's lap, unless the carver has been on a jag. Such a catastrophe would cause a blush of mortification to heighten the rouge on Missy's cheeks, while the Monsieur, the Count, would remove his monocle and remark, "I say this is badly unfortunate."

But the career of many turkeys which will cause the hearts of New York hosts to swell with pardonable pride on the last day of November started on the ranges of Wilbarger county. Hatched into the world in what has been declared "the finest turkey raising in America," these Thanksgiving birds grew without let or hindrance. They will reach the Eastern market plump, tender and delicious of flavor.

A Big Industry

Many persons are not aware of the magnitude of the turkey raising industry in this county. This year one Vernon firm—the Zachry-McCaleb Produce company—has already shipped 10,000 pounds of turkey meat to the north and east. Last fall Mr. Zachry shipped 90,000 pounds.

The rear end of the company's store building, on North Main street, has been converted into a turkey slaughtering and packing house. It is an interesting sight to watch the process of preparing the birds for market.

A tier of coops runs along the north wall of this room, and in these coops the fat turkeys repose, unmindful of the fate awaiting them. A "killer" opens a coop and with a long wire hook grabs a turkey. He hangs it up by the feet to a hook suspended from the ceiling.

After hanging the turkey up at a height convenient to the "pickers," the "killer" runs a sharp knife inside its throat and cuts the large arteries and veins. This process is called "bleeding." He then runs the knife in its brain.

Still the turkey is not dead. According to Mr. Zachry it is necessary to pick the birds alive, otherwise the feathers will not come off. But they are probably so nearly dead that they are not aware of the process.

The killer plucks out the large wing and tail feathers. Then he turns the bird over to one of the pickers, a boy,

ranging in age from 10 to 16 years. He strips off the remainder of the feathers and takes the carcass to an inspector. If the latter thinks the job well enough done he issues the boy a check good for five cents. If the work is not complete he sends the lad back to finish it.

Taken To the "Cooler"

After the inspector accepts the turkey it is placed on a long rack on the other side of the room. The carcasses are later taken from the racks and carried to the local ice house, where they are frozen. This process requires about 48 hours. They are then packed in paper lined barrels, to be shipped east or held in storage ready for shipment. They will keep indefinitely in storage.

The Zachry-McCaleb company sometimes make up a carload itself for shipment and sometimes sells to a jobber who is buying to complete a carload.

The slaughter room is a busy place. Saturday afternoon there were from 10 to 15 boys at work. Most of them had aprons made of gunny sacks. Feathers were piled high on the floor where they were engaged.

The killer receives five cents for each bird he handles, and makes at attractive wages. The boys make as high as 25 cents an hour, depending on their speed and application. Saturday the company slaughtered and packed 1,850 pounds of turkey meat.

Local firms are paying about 30 cents a pound for turkeys. Mr. Zachry stated. The meat will be delivered to New York jobbers, freight charges paid, at 50 or 55 cents a pound. Monsieur, the Count, will pay 85 cents

and possibly \$1 a pound for the fat gobbler which adds to the impending price of the butler on Thanksgiving day. And even so, the gobbler will be worth it.

UNION

Union, Nov. 20.—Work on the road running west from the school house will begin as soon as field work is finished. The road will be clayed as it is very sandy.

Among the persons who were in Vernon Saturday from this community were Bob Hampton, E. B. Gilchrist, Burial Wade and Troy Orr.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hampton, of Lockett, spent Sunday with their uncle, Bob Hampton.

Those who attended church at Brown Sunday evening from here were Jesse Hampton, Bob Hampton, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Gilchrist and their son, John, and daughter, Bennie Lou, Misses Ethel and Jamie Hampton, Clarence Knowles, Osa Wilbanks, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie L. Bess, Miss Iona Carrington, Floyd Birchfield, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Clarida, Misses Vera and Lorene Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Copeland, Mrs. B. W. Wood and Claud Knowles.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Gilchrist and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bess visited O. S. Raper of Brown, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Paschal and children, Maclean and Doris, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Paschal.

Next Sunday is our regular singing evening. Everybody is invited to come.

Federation Meeting Tomorrow

The regular monthly meeting of the Federation of Women's Clubs will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the library building.

Important matters affecting the work of the organization will be discussed at this meeting and it is hoped that a good attendance will be had.

It is Universally Agreed

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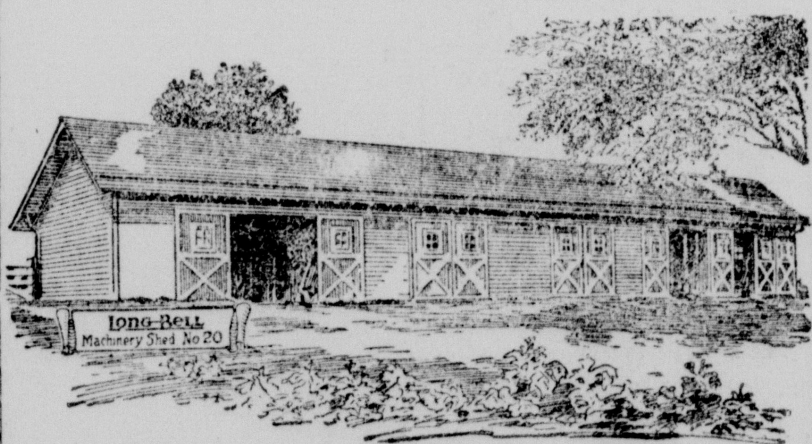
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Vernon, Texas, Friday, Nov. 21, 1922

LEGISLATIVE REFORMS.

There has been a clamor lately for revision of the judicial system of Texas, and almost anybody will admit that revision is badly needed. But while little has been said about it, our legislative system is equally open to reform.

Conditions have changed materially in Texas since the time in which the legislature should remain in session was limited by the constitution at three months out of each two years. At the present day it would seem impossible to intelligently transact the business which demands attention in that length of time.

Law practitioners are familiar with the slovenly haste displayed in "railroading" bills through the legislature—the jokers often slipped in, the vague provisions and impossible contradictions which throw new burdens on the already overburdened courts.

Texas needs a legislature which can remain in session until its business is transacted, and which will have ample time to intelligently discuss and dispose of the measures which come before it. The state would also benefit by a material reduction in the number of representative districts.

State senators and representatives might also be allowed a salary commensurate with the dignity and importance their positions should hold, without bankrupting the commonwealth.

The legislature, far more than the governor, holds the purse-strings of the state. It can ap-

propriate there and withhold here, and pile up a deficit or keep the treasury on a cash basis.

The state of Texas is a corporation which operates on a scale running far into the millions of dollars annually. It is strange that the legislators, who have first and last word concerning the expenditure of these millions, are paid on a basis of five dollars a day.

More than ever before, Texas needs men in the legislature who are broad enough and big enough to put through some constructive legislation. The state cannot run on forever with nothing to guide it but campaign thunder such as was furnished by the Mayfield-Petty issue, or the old fight between the wets and the dries.

OPEN COLUMN

Editor of The Vernon Record,
Vernon, Texas.

My Dear Sir.—As there are a number of students from Wilbarger county in the North Texas State Normal College this year, it has occurred to me that some news of the College would be of interest to your readers. As I am a student of the college and a resident of Wilbarger county, I am taking the liberty to send you the following items, some of which may, I hope, appear in your newspaper.

The students of the North Texas State Normal College, whose homes are in West Texas counties, met November 15 and organized a county club. The purpose of the club is to promote the social life and the cordial relations between the students of the counties.

The following officers were elected: Miss Louise Smith, president; J. J. Grace, secretary; Miss Elizabeth Hayes, press reporter for Wilbarger county.

There are 1,267 students enrolled in the Normal College this term, exclusive of the students in the training school. Wilbarger county is represented by eight students.

Miss Louise Smith, of Vernon, has been elected as one of the Associate Editors of the Yucca, the college annual.

The first football game to be played by the Eagles of the North Texas State Normal college, with a member of the Texas Inter-Collegiate athletic association this season, was the Armistice day game played with the East Texas State Normal of Commerce. This game was played at Denton on the normal grounds. The score was 30 to 0 in favor of the Eagles.

The second T. I. A. A. game participated in by the Eagles was the game

with the Trinity University Tigers, played in Denton last Friday, November 18. The score was 13 to 6 in favor of Denton.

Before the opening of the T. I. A. A. schedule the Eagles played several games with teams in other conferences.

Metropolitan Artists Heard

The artists' course at the North Texas State Normal College was auspiciously opened by the recital by Evelyn Seotney, coloratura soprano, of the Metropolitan Opera Company, New York, and Maximilian Rose, violinist, given in the Normal College auditorium on Wednesday evening, November 8. Honors were equally divided between Miss Seotney and Mr. Rose. The violinist won his audience in his opening number, the first movement from the Wieniawski Concerto in D Minor. Miss Seotney, who appeared in Denton several years ago, is a delightful singer. Her light, coloratura tones are exquisitely birdlike in effect and these were displayed to best advantage in the aria from "Mignon."

Colonel Alvin C. Owsley, recently elected National Commander of the American Legion, was formerly a student of the North Texas State Normal College, and the A. E. F. and Silver Strippers' clubs of the Normal college took a prominent part in the ovation by which he was welcomed home from the convention at New Orleans. On the next day Colonel Owsley addressed the students of the college, giving a stirring appeal for Americanism.

This year the W. T. S. N. C. will debate with Simmons College, Abilene; Southeast Oklahoma College for Teachers, Durant, Okla.; Southwest Texas State Normal college, San Marcos, and Sam Houston Normal Institute, Huntsville.

With best wishes to your paper, I am
Yours sincerely,
Elizabeth Hayes.

1702 W. Sycamore St., Denton, Texas.

DIETITIANS INTERESTED IN OFFICE OF HOME ECONOMICS

Interest in various phases of the home economics and nutrition work carried on by the United States Department of Agriculture was evidenced by members of the American Dietetic Association attending the third annual meeting of the association in Washington, D. C., from October 16 to 18. Over a hundred visited the department, most of whom are professionally engaged in preparing scientifically planned menus in hospitals, schools, and tea rooms or in connection with social welfare organizations.

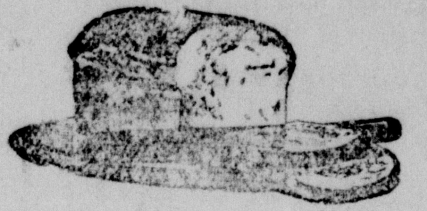
In the experimental kitchen the visitors were shown studies now being carried on in the use of hard and soft wheat flours for making cakes, in the use of macaroni made from a rust-resistant variety of North Dakota wheat, in measuring the internal temperatures of cooked foods, and in making pectin extracts from citrus fruits and apples. Dr. W. A. Orton, of the Bureau of Plant Industry, sent over for exhibit a collection of vegetables from his "dietetic" garden. Some dishes made from these vegetables were also shown because of their special interest to hospital dietitians.

In the calorimeter laboratory the visitors saw the large respiration calorimeter used in studying the energy expended by human beings under different conditions, also the smaller calorimeter, used in studies of the changes taking place in fruits and vegetables. An experiment was in progress with the small calorimeter in which the energy elimination and gaseous exchange of bananas during ripening were being measured.

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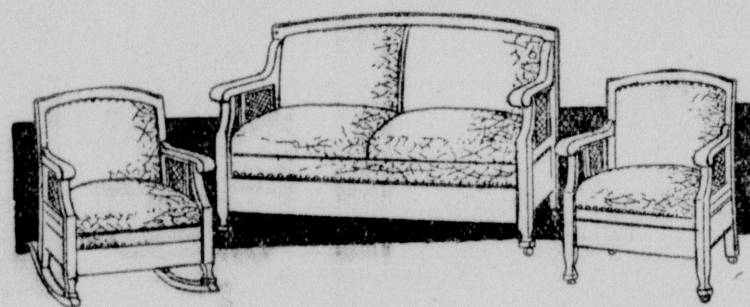
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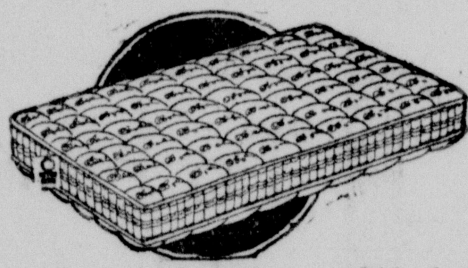
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BOWERS WILL FIGHT "BATTLING" BAILEY

LOCAL BOXER MATCHED WITH DALLAS BOY FOR EIGHT ROUNDS THIS WEEK

"Barnum and Bailey" will come to Vernon Friday night, but no manager will accompany them. Barnum, whose other title is "Kid," gave an advance showing here a short time ago when he boxed a two round preliminary with Roy Hance. He is matched for a four or five round preliminary with the same opponent next Friday night.

The main event of the show, which will be staged at the Peck building, under direction of C. E. Gilliland, will be an eight round bout between Dick Bowers, popular local featherweight, and "Batling" Bailey, a protege of one of the Dallas athletic clubs.

Bowers has built up a big following here, and it was this fact which made the present match possible, according to Mr. Gilliland. The Vernon lad has scored a technical knockout this season over Eddie Bird, of Crowell, and had at least an even break a few days ago against Delbert Webb, one of the most formidable junior light weights of the Southwest.

According to Capt. Elmer E. Laning, of the athletic club at Dallas, Bailey is a fast and hard slugger and is in fine trim. Capt. Laning is expected to accompany the fighter here, it was stated.

Bowers is training out daily with Delbert Webb and others, and expects to be in excellent condition by the night of the fight. Bailey has agreed to make 130 pounds for the bout, and Bowers will probably weigh in at 128 pounds.

Bowers stated yesterday that he looks at the forthcoming battle as a chance to break into the boxing game at Fort Worth and Dallas. It is understood that Capt. Laning's visit here is mainly for the purpose of watching Bowers perform, as reports of his speed and footwork have awakened interest of Dallas fight promoters.

Blue Lodge Gives Banquet

Members of the Blue Lodge, A. F. & A. M., were guests at a delightful banquet at 7 p. m. last Friday, following which work was done in the "entered apprentice" degree.

Those present at the banquet were W. F. McGee, Tom Duke, Frank Hood, W. B. Abbott, W. R. Hooper, Moss Lovelace, Roy McConille, O. A. Brunson, Knox Kinard, Rex Boyd, Sam Napier, J. V. Owen, C. H. Randel, Dee Norwood, Carl Lowellyn, J. D. Ferguson, Chas. H. Thompson, H. A. Tompkins, L. E. Kester, G. W. Mosley, Innes McCrary, William Berry, T. E. Pierce, H. H. Hopkins, J. H. Stephens, B. B. Brooks, Clarence McCaleb, P. A. Denny, H. W. Norwood, G. A. Creager, R. W. Abbott, Crutch Cole, Clay Brite, Homer Wilson and E. M. Hance.

SOCIAL

FIRST BIRTHDAY OBSERVED BY HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

The Home Economics Club celebrated its first anniversary with a guest day program last Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. R. Hooper, on South Tolar street.

The guests were met at the door by Mrs. J. A. Birdsong, president of the club, and the hostess. They were conducted by Mrs. H. A. Connor to the unique punch bowl consisting of a 150 pound block of ice, into which large yellow and pink chrysanthemums had been frozen. Delicious punch was served from the center of the block by Mrs. Roy W. Abbott and Miss Lillie Castleberry.

The following program was given to about 40 guests and members:

Welcome to guests—Mrs. J. A. Birdsong.

Story of Opera—Aida—Mrs. Dee Norwood.

Thanksgiving story—Miss Leola Smith.

Demonstration—Table Service—Miss Goodfellow, Miss Robbie Castleberry, and Mrs. A. F. Winston.

An attractive plate lunch, consisting of turkey souffle in patty shells, cranberry salad, olives, pickles, nut bread sandwich, hot tea, and date pudding was served.

WILDCAT

By special correspondent.

Wildcat, Nov. 20.—Mrs. Henry Richie's father, R. E. Miller, is here from Kansas on a visit. He is on his way to San Antonio.

George Henry Richie is still ill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Owen, of Vernon, visited Mrs. G. W. Hildebrand and family Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Virgil Hildebrand's little daughter is ill with a cold.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Richie and Mrs. J. A. Walker, of Vernon, visited their brother, Henry Richie, Tuesday evening.

John Wilford, of Altus, Okla., is here visiting Henry Richie and Ben Luttrel.

The Home Demonstration club met Wednesday evening with Mrs. Jasper Burk and made a dress form and also arranged a year book to be sent in to Miss Eula Goodfellow. Those present were Mrs. G. W. Hildebrand, Mrs. H. N. Brooks, Mrs. J. L. Burk, Mrs. L. G. Luttrel, Mrs. Virgil Hildebrand, Mrs. Jim Moore, Mrs. Frank Hildebrand, Miss Maud Hildebrand, and two visitors, Mrs. Liles of the Hinds community and Miss Elsie Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Boone Martin of West Vernon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Luttrel.

Sid Bradley has moved to Vernon. Little Beniah Patton is ill this week.

Prof. Williams of Vernon, will be out next Sunday evening with the Wildcat singing class. Everybody is

invited to attend the singing.

H. P. Droeemer and his son, Louis, went to Farmers Valley Sunday.

Earl Luttrel and family of Hillcrest were over to I. G. Luttrel's Sunday evening.

Earl Madden, of Lockett community, visited his uncle, Henry Richie and family Sunday afternoon and night.

Mrs. I. G. Luttrel went to Vernon to preaching at the Christian church Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Luttrel.

Mrs. Methaney had the misfortune of losing her purse while in Vernon; considerable money in it.

Saturday evening. The purse contained considerable money.

Foster's Weather Bulletin

Washington, Nov. 20.—Between midnight and 2 a. m. Nov. 11, one of the most destructive earthquakes of recent years occurred in northern Chile and thousands of human lives were lost. These great events can be successfully foretold and many lives saved thereby, but I have not the clerical force to make the calculations and orthodox scientists are so bound in the fool ideas of the dark ages that they refuse to look at sensible reasons. They base their nonsensical, so-called science (?) on a belief that the interior of the earth is intensely hot, that water gets into that heat and the steam makes the earthquake. Come down to modern times and let the dark ages sleep. There are no hot bodies in the solar system, sun and planets are great magnets; so are the clouds that, coming near each other, pass electricity to equalize their charges; lightning and a cloudquake results. Any electrician can prove that at the time of that great earthquake, the sun, the

moon, earth and several other planets occupied relative positions that at ways cause a shock among magnets where some of them are overcharged and some are under charged. The dark ages have a stronger hold on our science than on our ignorant, superstitious people. Local forecasts follow:

Cold on Dec. 1

Section 1: North of 47 between 90 and Rockies' crest; highest temperatures Dec. 3 and 8, lowest 1 and 6; average warmer than usual; precipitation normal; most severe storms and most precipitation near 3.

Sec. 2: North of 47, east of 90; lowest temperatures 3 and 8, highest 5 and 10; average warmer than usual; most severe storms and most precipitation near 5; normal precipitation.

Sec. 3: Between 39 and 47; and between 90 and Rockies' crest; highest temperatures 4 and 8, lowest 6 and 11; average warmer than usual; most severe storms and most precipitation near 4; normal precipitation.

Sec. 4: East of 90, between latitudes 39 and 47; highest temperatures 1 and 9, lowest 5; average warmer than usual; most severe storms and most precipitation near 6; normal precipitation.

Sec. 5: South of 39, between 90 and Rockies' crest; lowest temperatures 1 and 7, highest 4 and 9; average warmer than usual; most severe storms and most precipitation near 5; normal precipitation.

Sec. 6: South of 39, east of 90; lowest temperatures 3 and 9, highest 5 and 11; average warmer than usual; most severe storms and most precipitation near 6; normal precipitation.

Storms on West Coast

Sec. 7: North of 43 1/2, west of Rockies' crest; highest temperatures

2 and 8; lowest 4 and 9; average warmer than usual; most severe storms and most precipitation near 3; normal precipitation.

Sec. 8: South of 43 1/2 to Mexican line, west of Rockies' crest; highest temperatures 2 and 6; lowest 4 and 9; average warmer than usual; most severe storms and most precipitation near 3; normal precipitation.

All indications are that first week of December will be unusually warm between this great storm period and the with more than usual rain, followed by bad storms of the Christmas holidays.

by very loud cold, stormy weather, inclined toward blizzards. There are so many great magnets concerned in that great storm period that I will not be able to get the exact dates. Better get your outdoor affairs arranged before end of November, although you may get some good weather first few days of December. When that great storm breaks you will need shelter.

Some good weather is expected before end of December will be unusually warm between this great storm period and the with more than usual rain, followed by bad storms of the Christmas holidays.

Notice

This is to notify the public that our farm 12 miles west of Vernon is posted. No hunting will be allowed. Please take notice—Mrs. L. Lehman, Ed. Lehman. 90-3tp. The

See our line of harness, sweat pads and horse collars.—North Texas Hardware Co. 80-2tc.

Record classified ads bring results

SAFETY

Make the Start Today---Now Is the Time

If you have not made a start for the future and have no bank account now is the time to begin. Remember that a start in the right direction and the pace kept up your financial success is almost certain.

At this time of the year when you are marketing the products of your year's labor should be the time when you begin your bank account and be ready for the less profitable period of the year.

This bank is willing and anxious to assist you and would be glad to talk over the many advantages of having a real bank back of you and your efforts.

FARMERS STATE BANK
COURTESY STRENGTH

SPECIALS FOR Thursday Only Nov. 23rd

Quantities of these items are limited, and we advise doing your shopping THURSDAY MORNING

Hope Domestic 15c

Only 500 yards of this cloth and it comes in 2 to 10 yard lengths. Very little "Hope" domestic in the country and we haven't heard of any selling for less than 20c—Buy it Thursday as long as it lasts at only 15c Yard.

Yard Wide Longcloth, 10 Yds. for \$1.45

This is our best 20c longcloth and is the best buy on the market today at that price—We offer it Thursday at 10 yards for \$1.45 No more and no less than 10 yards to a customer.

Palmolive Soap, 6 Cakes For 29c

You know Palmolive soap and know what it's worth. With every purchase of \$1.00 or more Thursday, we will sell 6 cakes for only 29c. Buy \$1.00 or more of anything in the store and you then get 6 cakes of Palmolive soap for 29c—Only 6 cakes to one family.

Women's Silk Hose for \$1.00

We have been selling these special at \$1.35 and have decided to close out what we have left at \$1.00 per pair—Black and brown, all sizes only \$1.00 Pair.

Fancy Turkish Towels, 25c Each

These towels are 17x34 inches in beautiful colored plaids and are our best sellers at 35c each—Buy them Thursday at only 25c each

ASSOCIATED STORES

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VERNON, TEXAS

December 1st

Hello Folks!
Say!

I am going to enter the Dairy business again. "Yes, I am going to open up on December 1st at the old Chitwood place in southeast Vernon."

Associated with me will be Mr. C. S. Rutledge whom you all know. We are going to have a real up-to-date sanitary place, with concrete stalls, sewerage system etc.

The public, our old customers and friends and everybody are invited to come and see us.

Vernon Dairy and Poultry Farm

J. R. MESSICK, Manager

Phone 277

SERVE A STEAK

of our supplying and you will have on your table the finest meat it is possible to obtain. Same way with our roasts. No matter what cut you choose you can be confident of its tenderness and toothsome. Our provisions are the same high grade too and all at prices that appeal to the thrifty. Treat yourself to a trial.



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GROCERY & MARKET
WE HAVE W. U. TIMEPHONE US FOR THE CORRECT TIME
OUR TIME IS YOURS PHONES 38-68

AFTER EVERY MEAL

WRIGLEY'S

P-K

It's a DOUBLE treat—Peppermint Jacket over Peppermint gum.

10 for 5c

Sugar jacket just "melts in your mouth," then you get the delectable gum center.

And with Wrigley's three old standbys also affording friendly aid to teeth, throat, breath, appetite and digestion.

Soothing, thirst-quenching. Making the next cigar taste better.

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AFTER EVERY MEAL

C30

DR. DICKENSON URGES SHELTER FOR BOYS

METHODIST MINISTER WARNS PARENTS OF THEIR OBLI- GATION.

"Are we giving our boys and girls the same shelter and care which we extend to the material things in this life?"

This was, in effect, a question propounded by Dr. Robert E. Dickenson, pastor of the First Methodist church, to a large audience at the local church last Sunday.

"I like to see the fine horses, poultry and livestock. It's a mark of distinction to note the wonderful farm products and the pride with which the owner exhibits them. It would be far from my purpose to discourage such enterprises. But how about our boys and girls?"

The minister used this illustration to remind parents and grown-ups of their great responsibility and the duty which they owe to the rising generation. "We should watch our action, lest we develop a wealth of material things, and then stunt our boys and girls," the pastor warned.

Praises Education

Dr. Dickenson called attention to the fact that Texas stood 33rd in the matter of education among the states of the union. Commenting on this fact, the minister said: "We are proud of this great state and rightly so but these statistics reveal a condition which demands attention. Today, boys and girls who should be in school, are working in the fields, and thus they are deprived of the shelter and attention to which they are entitled, and for which we are responsible to them."

The minister praised the glorious history of Texas and said that children should know of this history, and that it was only through the public schools that this could be accomplished.

Stewards Installed

Following the sermon, which made one of the strongest appeals of any message ever heard in the local church, the stewards for the ensuing year were installed. They were as follows: U. S. Davis, president; J. A. Harrington, V. P.; P. M. McKinley, Sec.; J. L. Showers, Treasurer; G. W. Backus, W. H. Huggins, J. W. Brock, Jr., J. A. Carney, W. M. Crutchfield, T. G. Curry, E. C. Christian, C. J. Farrell, L. G. Hawkins, J. B. Morris, S. E. Porterfield, E. P. Robertson, J.

L. Swartwood, Mrs. J. H. Watts, Mrs. T. M. Ferguson, W. A. Wilhelm, W. D. Berry, R. E. Wafer, W. A. Walker, G. T. Key, Moss Lovelace, T. J. McGill, D. B. May, W. R. Hooper, E. M. Letuwyler, P. C. Stinnett, E. L. McHugh, Recording Steward.

Bulletin Makes Hit

The first edition of the weekly bulletin made its appearance at the church last Sunday, and proved to be a boon to the entire congregation. The publication, which consisted of four pages, carried a complete program and a wealth of information concerning the church activities. Everyone was presented with a copy upon entering the church.

RADIO PROGRAM WRAP FORT WORTH STAR-TELEGRAM

(Class B Station, 400 Meters.)

Daily Features

9:45 to 10 a. m.—Opening market quotations. 485 meters.

11 a. m. to 11:30 a. m.—United States weather report; late cotton and grain quotations; first call cotton seed oil. Department of Agriculture, fruits, vegetables and cattle divisions. quotations. 485 meters.

3 to 3:30 p. m.—Closing market quotations. 485 meters.

3:45 to 4 p. m.—Financial review, curb, stocks, bonds and cotton. 400 meters.

7:15 to 7:30 p. m.—Bedtime story (except Saturday.)

Special Features

(400 meters)

Sunday, Nov. 26

11 a. m. to 12:15 p. m.—Complete services of the First Methodist church, Dr. J. W. Bergin, pastor; Will Foster organist.

2 p. m.—Sermonette.

3:30 to 4 p. m.—Sabbath Day program presented by the choir of the First Presbyterian church.

Monday, Nov. 27.

9:30 to 10:30 p. m.—Dance concert presented by Dot Echois McCutchan and her orchestra.

Tuesday, Nov. 28

9:30 to 10:30 p. m.—Concert presented by the Harmony Club of Fort Worth, the fifth of its winter radio concert series.

Wednesday, Nov. 29.

9:30 to 10:30 p. m.—Concert presented by the Entertainers Club of Fort Worth.

Thursday, Nov. 30.

9:30 to 10:30 p. m.—Concert by Theodore Rosenthal and a group of Cadet Band.

Friday, Dec. 1

9:30 to 10:30 p. m.—Concert de luxe

presented by the High School Cadet band.

Saturday, Dec. 2

6:30 to 6:45 p. m.—Review of tomorrow's international Sunday school lesson by Mrs. W. F. Barnum, leader of the Barnum Bible Class of the First Methodist church.

Note—Saturday night is observed as a quiet night by The Star-telegram as a courtesy to its Fort Worth and vicinity tube set owners wishing to try for long distance records. No programs after 6:45 p. m.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY WILL STUDY PROBLEMS OF INDIA

The Woman's Missionary society of the First Methodist church will hear a fascinating study of India next Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Rena Watts. The program is a part of the mission study course being conducted by the organization. Following the discussion, a social hour will be enjoyed. The program follows:

The Significance of India's Heritage.—Mrs. Bertha Ross.
History of India.—Mrs. John Morris.
Paredia Ramabai.—Mrs. S. E. Lloyd.
Relation of India to Orient and Occident.—Mrs. W. D. Berry.
India's struggle with Disease.—Miss Rice.

Health Problems and Obstacles.—Mrs. Stevens.

Progress in Sanitation.—Mrs. Dale Shive.

India's Burden of Poverty.—Mrs. Rena Watts.

Causes of Poverty.—Mrs. T. J. McGill.

Possibilities of Economic Improvement.—Mrs. John Reese.

Conditions of Capital and Labor.—Mrs. Walter Ferguson.

Handicaps in Education.—Mrs. T. M. Ferguson.

Seriousness of India's Economic Needs.—Mrs. Wakefield.

Women's Rights.—Mrs. W. A. Walker.

An Outgrown Social System.—Mrs. M. L. Bird.

Hinduism.—Mrs. Y. H. Babasin.

Child Marriage.—Mrs. R. S. Crow.

India as a Mission Field.—Mrs. R. E. Dickenson.

The Family in India.—Mrs. T. H. Price.

Comparison of Lot of Womanhood in Christian and Pagan Lands.—Mrs. L. D. Terrell.

Round Table.—Do We Appreciate Our Opportunities?—Led by Mrs. J. N. Johnson.

HARROLD

Harrold, Nov. 20.—The funeral services of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cobb, of Electra, were held in the Methodist church. Services were conducted by Bro. J. W. Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Wilson, Sr., and son, Rollin have been called to Chickasha, Okla., on account of the illness of relatives.

Bad weather prevented the meeting of the Home Demonstration Club last Thursday afternoon. The meeting was postponed until Thursday of this week. The D. S. department of the school will entertain the club at their regular class hour from 1 to 2:30. All club members and visitors will be welcomed.

The Y. C. U. organization met at its regular hour Sunday evening with Ha Vaughan as leader. A Missionary program was given. The following persons took part, Messrs. Alf Crawford, Harrison King, and Misses Nannie Sanderson and Ruth Gribble.

Mrs. Ivan Allen has returned home after spending a couple of weeks in a Vernon sanitarium. The community is glad to have her back with us again. After a few days at home she will join her little son, Alfred, at her parents' home at Mineral Wells for an extended visit.

Mrs. Claude Waggoner, of the Elliott community, is in a Vernon sanitarium for an operation.

The ladies of the Baptist Missionary Union met with Mrs. N. F. Strickland and quilled this week.

Prayer meeting is held each Wednesday night at the Baptist church. Everybody is welcome.

The children of W. H. Holt have been ill but are better at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Trisler, of Guyer and son, and Miss Rosa Trisler of Elliott, spent the weekend in Vernon at the home of J. A. Gilliland.

We are for our own and our neighbors' homes, for those who are not, as well as those who are well able to carry plenty Old Line Insurance. Give your Home this additional and most excellent protection at a very low cost and then get your neighbors, those especially who need it most and are least able to pay to join us and so protect them, and thus protect your community. Anyone can get 10 or 12 members and we pay you well for the work. See Dewey Wilson, Secretary, VERNON MUTUAL LIFE AND ACCIDENT ASSOCIATION. Office over Massie-Wright store. \$9-2p

Miss Baird Undergoes Operation

Miss Selma Baird, 16 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Baird, underwent an operation for appendicitis Saturday afternoon, at the family residence in Northwest Vernon. Her speedy recovery is expected.

Fresh candy—Ferguson Drug Co. 90-2tc.

Electric light globes.—Ferguson Drug Co. 90-2tc.

NOTICE TO VERNON SANTA CLAUSES: Here's the place to fill your packs, light on purses, heavy on backs. Presbyterian Guild Bazaar, December 2nd. 89-5tc.

We have a complete line of ammunition and guns—North Texas Hardware Co. 89-2tc.

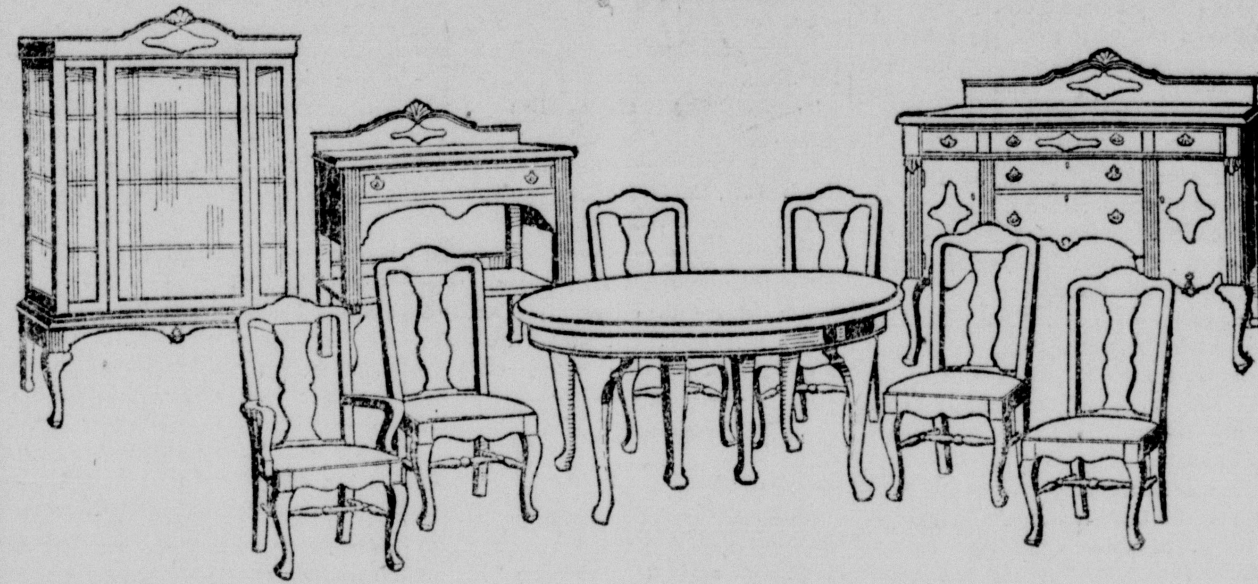
We have complete line of Thanksgiving cards.—Ferguson Drug Co. 90-2tc.

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A Dining Room Suite That Will Bring Pride and Satisfaction



DO you realize how closely furniture is associated with your everyday life? Two hours daily, at least, you spend in your dining room. What greater pride and satisfaction than having that room reflect a real, homey atmosphere, supported by furniture of quality and distinction? Besides, such purchase is a lifelong investment.

:-: T. J. YOUNGBLOOD :-:

Let Us Furnish Your Home

Opening of the New Store In Vernon, Texas

T. B. Smythe & Sons of Forest, Miss., have bought the Freeman stock from the J. W. Murphy Salvage Co. and will Continue the business in the same building.

New Stocks Will Be Added

Complete lines of all kinds of staple and fancy merchandise will be carried by the new firm. We are gradually closing out our interests in Mississippi and concentrating our business in Vernon. The policies of this store will be on substantial lines and prices will be governed by market conditions all ways the lowest possible profits consistent with good merchandising.

We Invite You to Come To See Us

A sale is being inaugurated now to begin closing out the present stock on hand and about \$40,000 worth of merchandise which is in transit from our other stores. We want to get acquainted with every customer in the radius of Vernon, Texas and hope to be able to establish a store that you'll be proud of.

Respectfully

T. B. SMYTHE & SONS

Vernon, Texas

Freeman's Stand

FARM WOMEN LEARN TO USE
BETTER MARKETING METHODS

Acting upon the advice of extension workers, South Carolina women have made steady advances in standardizing the products they offer for sale and in increasing their output. For example in Charleston county, starting with 1 woman two years ago, there are now over 70 women shipping in weekly their graded and guaranteed eggs. Two years ago no one thought of fattening poultry before sending to market. To day no one thinks of sending poultry to market without first fattening it. The women realize as never before that a standard bred fowl produces higher-priced eggs and market poultry than a mongrel. The improvement in preserving is also marked. Two years ago only one woman produced really standard preserves and jelly. Now there are nine who can for market and many others who put up a few dozen to sell. The original woman who sold preserves has so developed her business that she has built a factory and has planned for an output of 10,000 containers. The members of the local home demonstration club assist her and in this way not only make pocket money for themselves but improve their own work, and in a few years the entire community bids fair to be well known for its specialized products. The number of dozen eggs sold, as reported to the extension department, is 8,142, and the pounds of poultry 19,997. The value of canned goods actually sold is \$512, and the total amount of all products is \$8,504.94.

In the state last year approximately 5,000 containers of such standardized products as Dixie burgoo, pine bark fish stew, Brunswick stew, soup mixture, blackberry jam, fig preserves, plum jelly, grape juice, artichoke relish, and butter were put on the market through the South Carolina Home Producers' Association. This year the contracts have been signed for about 200,000 containers.

Subscribe for The Vernon Record.

We want to buy all kinds of household goods.—Lisenbee Furniture Co. Phone 352. 75c.

Notice

All my land is posted and anyone found hunting with dogs or guns on same will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

J. H. KINCHELOE.
85-1tp.

Cash paid for clean cotton rags at The Record office. No buttons or stockings.

COTTONTAIL RABBITS GOOD
AS GAME, BAD FOR ORCHARDS

In spite of their good qualities as feed and game, cottontail rabbits in many places become a great nuisance to orchards and farm crops, and control measures are necessary to prevent their increase. In addition to the natural checks affected by diseases and predatory animal enemies, the usual ways of preventing abnormal increases in their numbers according to the Biological Survey of the United States Department of Agriculture, are by hunting, trapping, fencing or poisoning.

In many states east of the Mississippi rabbits are protected as game, and the close season for them must be observed. The Game Laws for 1922 issued by the United States Department of Agriculture as Farmers' Bulletin 1288, shows the requirements of each state. In some states rabbits may be taken with dog, trap, or snare at any time but must not be shot during the close season. In a number of states having a close season for rabbits the laws permit farmers and fruit growers to destroy the animals to protect crops or trees.

Poisoned baits can be used to keep down the numbers of rabbits where domestic animals can be prevented from gaining access to the poison. Shooting for sport and using for meat, however, preferable and will usually hold the animals in check. Rabbit-proof fences can be profitably built when the area to be protected is not too large. Various washes distasteful to rabbits are recommended for use on tree trunks, as well as different mechanical contrivances to keep the hungry animals from eating the bark and girdling the trees. Feeding rabbits in winter with winter prunings of apple trees or corn, cabbage, or turnips have been practiced successfully in some orchards, on the theory that it is cheaper to feed than to fight them.

TURNKEYS: Mammoth Bronze breeding stock for sale. As good blood as can be had. See me before you buy.—Mrs. Henry Richle, phone 9018 R. 21 or P. O. box 27. 88-1tp.

We have anything you will need in cooking utensils to prepare your Thanksgiving dinner.—North Texas Hardware Co. 89-2tc.

Read The Vernon Record want ads. All you have to do is to tie them up. The Presbyterian Guild Bazaar does the rest. December 2nd. 89-5tc.

IRISH REBEL LEADER
IS NOW PRISONER

Though an Englishman born, Erskine Childers has shown himself one of the most rabid Irish Republicans, rising to the position of chief-of-staff of Eamon de Valera, the Spanish-American chief of the Irish irreconcilables. Childers is now a prisoner of the Free State troops. His wife is the daughter of U. S. Senator D. U. Fletcher, of Florida, and a descendant of John Hancock.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THIS STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Wilbarger County, Texas:—

You are hereby summoned to appear in court on the 22nd day of August A. D. 1922 to a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1842, wherein Farmers State Bank of Vernon, Texas, is Plaintiff, and O. E. Hempel, is Defendant, and said petition alleging that on the 6th day of August 1921, the defendant, made, executed and delivered to Plaintiff his certain promissory note for the principal sum of \$204.20, payable to the order of plaintiff at Vernon, Texas, and due on the 6th day of September 1921, and later for valuable consideration, and that the said note, until the 6th day of November 1921, said note bearing interest from maturity until paid at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, and providing for the 10 per cent additional, if it was not paid in the hands of an attorney for collection. That said note being a renewal note given and delivered to Plaintiff by defendant executed on the 6th day of December 1919 for the principal sum of \$100.00 and originally due on the 6th day of January 1920, and at the time of the execution of the note the defendant delivered to plaintiff his chattel mortgage, a certified copy of which is attached to the original petition and made a part of same. Said note is past due and unpaid, and the defendant though often requested has failed and refused to pay the same or any part thereof, save and except the credits shown on said note to-wit: \$16.05. Plaintiff prays that it have its judgment for its debt, \$210.00, interests and attorney's fees, for a foreclosure of its chattel mortgage lien, for a writ of sequestration, and for costs of suit etc. Herein fail not but have before said Court at its aforesaid regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and the seal of said Court at its aforesaid regular term, this 17th day of November, A. D. 1922.

VERNA LUCKY, Clerk.
30-41 The County Court, Wilbarger Co.

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The kind of work that makes a guarantee unnecessary.

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We Have Taken Over the Repair Shop of Geo. A. Long

and will continue to give guaranteed satisfactory repair work. Regardless of the condition of your car we can repair it to your entire satisfaction, and our prices will be another pleasing feature of our repair work.

Bring your car troubles to us for efficient repair at reasonable price.

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East Side Square

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE

Five room house, good garage, chicken house, back yard fence, and plenty of back yard room. A bargain for quick sale. Will consider good car as part payment. See W. T. BERRY, Owner. Phone 66

FOR SALE OR RENT—Five room modern house with lights and water, in west Vernon on Stephens street. Will sell reasonable on your own terms. See Thomas Evans. 88-4tc.

FOR SALE—OR TRADE—for real estate. One five passenger touring car in first class condition. Phone 339, P. O. Box 1146. 90-3tp.

FOR SALE—100 white Leghorns hens and pullets, four cocks, incubator and brooder. Robert Cole, Crowell, Texas. 90-3tc.

MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Three second-hand heating stoves. Also typewriter covers. See E. L. Dehoney. Phone 321. 90-2tp.

FOR SALE—Two dozen Rhode Island Red chickens, wood or coal cook stove, oak dining table, also incubator. See Joe Serfatine, six miles south of Vernon. 90-2tp.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Good wagon, harness and team of horses for sale or trade for Ford touring car. See W. H. Burnett, 408 E. Pease St. 90-2tp.

FOR SALE—30 bowls and 30 pitchers, cheap. Bailey Hotel. 89-5tc.

FOR SALE—One new No. 11 Dome Cream Separator. Also practically new Wyeth kitchen range. Write C. A. Duncan, Route 2, Vernon. 90-3tp.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Oakland touring car in good running order. Would consider Ford truck. J. R. Harrison, Route 4, Vernon, Texas. 88-3tp.

FOR SALE—About 40 head nice meat hogs. See Luther White, half mile west White City Store. 88-5tp.

Lost and Found

LOST—In Russell block, Saturday afternoon, 1 ladies leather purse containing \$30.00 in currency. Will the lady who was seen picking up this purse please deliver to Sheriff's office, Floyd Mathers. 1tp.

LOST—Red bull yearling about twelve months old. Left my place six miles southwest of Vernon, Saturday, November 18. Ed Hughes, Route 5, Vernon. 90-2tp.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—One brown Jersey yearling bull. Finder please notify C. A. Duncan, Route 2 Vernon and receive reward. 89-5tp.

LOST—Leather key case with three Yale keys. Finder please return to Record office. H. A. Sours. 89-1tp.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two furnished apartments for housekeeping. All modern conveniences. Close in, 420 W. Texas St. Phone 292 J. 90-3tc.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, conveniently located. See Mrs. Snead at Dixon's. 90-3tc.

FOR RENT—Two room housekeeping apartment. Mrs. J. N. Johnson, phone 75 second residence west of City Hall. 89-3tc.

FOR RENT—Two model light-housekeeping rooms. Close in. Call 838 after 1 p. m. 88-5tp.

FOR RENT—Two furnished housekeeping rooms. Two blocks from square. Phone 271. 88-3tc.

WANTED

MEN—Our illustrated catalogue explains how to teach the barber trade quickly, how to teach the barber trade quickly, how to teach the barber trade quickly. Moler Barber College, Dallas, Texas. 90-3tp.

WANTED—Man and wife to live in my house and board me. T. A. Seutlock. 90-3tp.

WANTED—A girl to keep house. Address B. A. Sturdivant, Route 1, Vernon, Texas. Principal East Vernon school District 33. 85-9tp.

WHY RENT, WHEN YOU CAN BUY A—cash and \$25 per month. 8 per cent interest. Five four room cottage, well located \$200 cash on deferred payments. Price only \$1800. 520 acres, 200 in cultivation, improved, well located, practically all tillable—sacrifice price. \$32.50 per acre. Mixed land. Terms. Nice little two room house, lot 60x120. Number of bearing trees and vineyard, well located on good clayed street. Must sell. Price \$600. Some terms. Some nice well located residences clear of debt, to exchange for good farm.

CAN YOU BEAT IT? 220 acres, improved sandy land, in Wilbarger County part in cultivation. Price \$5 per acre one fourth cash balance long time. Better see us before these bargains are gone.

DAVIS, WERE & SUMMEROUR Leaders in real estate, insurance and loans 90-3tc.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS FOR STATE ROAD AND BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION.

Sealed proposals addressed to E. L. McHugh, County Judge, for the improvement of certain highways in Wilbarger County, will be received at the office of E. L. McHugh, at Vernon, Texas, until 10 o'clock A. M. December 1, 1922, and then publicly opened and read.

The proposed work consists of the grading of section "A" and "B" on F. A. P. 276. Approximate quantities: Section "A", earth roadway excavation 29,535.5 cubic yards, earth borrow excavation 3,883.8 cubic yards, overhaul 37,460.3 Sta. Yds.

Section "B" Earth roadway excavation 6,732.5 cubic yards earth borrow excavation 4,294.0 cubic yards. Overhaul 5,384.2 Sta. Yds.

Section "C" Earth roadway excavation 11,421.4 cu. yds., earth borrow excavation 1,092.8 cu. yds., overhaul 11,390.2 Sta. yds. Detailed plans and specifications of the work may be seen for examination and information may be obtained at the office of Jno. B. Nabers, County Engineer at Vernon, Texas, and at the office of the State Highway Department, State Office Building, Austin, Texas.

A certified, or cashier's check for five per cent of amount bid made payable without recourse to the County, must accompany each proposal, as a guarantee to the bidder, if successful, will enter into contract and make bond in accordance with requirements of the specifications. The right is reserved by the party of the part to reject any and all proposals or to waive all technicalities.

Proposals shall be submitted in sealed envelopes and marked "Bids for the construction of the grading on Sec. A, B, or C, A. P. 276 in Wilbarger County."

Separate bids will be received on sections A, B, and C. The Commissioners in the name of the County.

All bids received will be retained by the Department and will not be returned to the bidders. 88-3 Tues.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pendleton returned last week from a six weeks' vacation.

NOTICE—SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas, County of Wilbarger: By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Wilbarger County, on 13th day of November, A. D. 1922, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of Mrs. Henrietta Glass versus W. G. Burton, L. E. Piper, S. D. Lary and W. E. Cabee No. 2060, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell for cash, within the hours prescribed, by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the First Tuesday in December A. D. 1922, it being the 5th day of said month, before the Court House door of said Wilbarger County, in the town of Vernon the following described property, to-wit:

All of lots 9 and 10 in block 20 in the original town of Vernon, Wilbarger County, Texas, levied on as the property of W. G. Burton to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$353.00 in favor of Mrs. Henrietta Glass and costs of suit.

Given under my hand, this 13th day of November A. D. 1922.

W. FRANK EDMONSON, Sheriff.

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WILBARGER COUNTY NEWS

TOLBERT

By special correspondent.
Tolbert, Nov. 20.—A car of coal has arrived and most every family has bought some since the cold spell.

Misses Velma Brumalow and Nell Cotton spent the week-end at Kirk. This morning Miss Brumalow's paragon of a son, J. J. Simmonds and to a large group of Mr. Raper, of Farmers.

Raymond Swinburn, who is attending Clarendon College, visited home folks the past week.

County Superintendent L. A. Hollan visited the school Tuesday.

Grandma Unberson is very ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. B. C. Wood.

J. S. Archer, Mr. and Mrs. Will Lawson, J. W. Dockery, Edith Dockery, Doyle Stroud, H. O. Smith and Zola and Oliver Reynolds were in Vernon Saturday.

Robert Stone has purchased a new touring car.

Don Oliver attended singing at Farmers Valley Sunday night.

Ben Lawlis of Oklahoma spent a few days with home folks last week.

Miss Dewey Mae Dockery, of the Elliott community, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dockery.

Rev. R. V. Tooley and family left Monday for Roby, Tex., where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Simmonds have moved to the Baptist parsonage.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dockery of Thalia, visited home folks Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Page made a business trip to Chillicothe Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Reynolds motored to Vernon Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hunter and Luther Crowder of Chillicothe, spent Sunday with E. B. Page and family.

Misses Willie Lee Dockery, Maude Crowder and Edith Dockery visited Miss Mina Rutledge of Vernon Sunday afternoon.

Miss Monette Brooks, of Farmers Valley, visited Misses Zola and Ophelia Reynolds Saturday night.

Will Moore and his daughter, Mrs. Clements, have returned from Bell county, where they went on business.

Miss Maude Brantley has returned from Houston.

DOANS

By special correspondent.
Doans Nov. 20.—The farmers are through picking cotton and are rejoicing over the fine rains.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Goins and Claude Goins have returned from a week's business trip to Burkhurnett, Wichita Falls and Byers, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Seidlits moved to Vernon Thursday and J. R. Harrison moved where Mr. Seidlits formerly lived.

Mrs. A. T. Warren has been ill the past week. Mrs. Warren is a teacher in the Doans school. Miss Leha Miller has filled the vacancy made by her illness.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Eaton and family and Dow Estes returned Friday from Altus, where they have been visiting relatives the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Stinnett of Vernon, and Mrs. and Mrs. Frank Ward, of Burkhurnett, visited Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Rowland Sunday.

ODELL

By special correspondent.
Odell, Nov. 20.—Miss Rubie Carlton spent the week-end with Miss Lucille Killough of the Red River community.

The service at the Methodist church Wednesday night was well attended. Rev. L. B. Hankins preached.

Louis Thompson, of the Pleasant Valley community, was a business visitor here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Andrews were visiting friends here Thursday.

Rev. L. B. Hankins preached at the Methodist church Sunday morning and night. A large crowd attended.

Early Beach returned home Sunday night from a business trip to Dallas, Fort Worth and Waco.

Edd Wiggins and J. R. Jones have gone on a hunting trip on Devil's River.

Mrs. Mae Wiggins is working in the Wiggins garage during their absence.

Edd White, Jim White and Mr. Phillips were in Vernon Friday.

Otis and Cecil Bell visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bell, Saturday.

Miss Anna Lou Kester spent Saturday night with Misses Hester and Lela Crain.

Several persons from Odell attended the radio concert at Vernon Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Lanier are enjoying a few days' visit from Mr. Lanier's brother and his family.

Old Stowe, of Fargo community visited his father and mother in Odell Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Speers made a business trip to Vernon Thursday.

Miss Anna Lou Kester visited Miss Ruby Riddle Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Riddle and daughter, Ruby and Anna Lou Kester visited Mr. and Mrs. Otis Riddle Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Odie Riddle called on Mrs. Riddle's mother Mrs. Sherret Sunday.

PARSLEY HILL

By special correspondent.
Parsley Hill, Nov. 20.—This community was glad to have a rain and norther. Some of the farmers are up with their cotton picking.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Paschal visited his parents in Vernon Saturday and Sunday. Mr. Paschal is principal of the Parsley Hill school.

Several persons attended an entertainment given by the Vaughn Quartet, of Jacksonville, Tex., last Monday night at Talmage.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Beavers, Tuesday, Nov. 7, a seven pound girl.

Luther and Carol Streit attended the party at Karl Gunglberg's Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Burlsmith visited his sisters, Mrs. Alice Schultz and Miss Annie Burlsmith of Vernon, last Sunday.

G. W. Brown and family have returned.

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turned to Forestburg. They have been picking cotton for six or seven weeks on the R. F. Box farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Hyson Lewis and children, Misses Emma Streit, Verena, Clara and John and Earnest, Albert, Oscar Streit and Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Box and Jewel and Jettie Box visited Mr. and Mrs. Geoffrey Streit and family Sunday afternoon. The Streit boys furnished music and everyone enjoyed the afternoon.

The following persons from Parsley Hill were in Vernon Saturday: J. B. Box and family, Misses Mettie and Nora Neel, Payne and Rallie Neel, Cecil Hamilton, Misses Alta and Verma Neel and Homer Wright.

The gin has been running very steadily this last week. There will be no more big days, because the cotton is so nearly out.

There were several caught in Vernon Saturday night, because of the rain and hail Saturday.

Olds Phillips of Lockett, was in this community Sunday.

Claude Bildstein has purchased a new car.

Edd Madderson spent the week-end with his home folks in Vernon.

Mrs. Morton Bildstein has been ill for some time.

R. F. Box has purchased a new touring car.

Mrs. Guy Paschal and Pauline Wright visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kinche and family Wednesday.

Cotton is being hauled from the Parsley Hill gin to Crowell this week.

WEST VERNON

By special correspondent.
West Vernon, Nov. 20.—A team of basket ball boys from Vernon, consisting of two boys from high school and three from one of the city schools played the West Vernon team last Friday afternoon. A very good game was played by each team, but the West Vernon team was victorious.

The score ended 24 to 6 in favor of the West Vernon team.

Calvin Littleton of the high school was captain of the Vernon team. Darwin Haney was captain of the West Vernon team.

Miss Flossy Blankenship, of Rose City, Tex., has been visiting Rush Smith and family the past week.

Miss Urm Cook has been seriously ill the past week.

NOTICE

If you want to get more money for your furs caught this season send them to the **Texas Produce Company, Quanah, Texas**—As Mr. Sam Pinsker has been with the best houses in St. Louis for years in grading department—will pay all the time the same price. We wont give you a bait the first shipment and then skin you on the next one.

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On December 1st the Texas Public Service Co., will be taken over by the Texas Central Power Company.

THALIA

By special correspondent.
Thalia, Nov. 20.—Roy Aubrey, Ross Roark, Tom Beverly and Walter Lawson, of Crowell, were in Thalia Thursday.

Sam Allen and son, Tom, passed through Thalia Thursday on their way to Roaring Springs.

Fred Rennels, county agent of Foard county, and Mr. Cook, both of Crowell, were in Thalia Thursday. They also visited M. Neel of the Talmage community.

J. L. Rennels took Mr. and Mrs. Otis Barson to Crowell Wednesday, where Mrs. Barson is taking medical treatment.

S. H. Daniels and his son, Vernon, of Altus, Dickens county were here Friday. They have been visiting Mrs. H. Wright of the Parsley Hill community.

They were on their way home. Mrs. Wright is Mr. Daniels' daughter.

Gus B. Neel, Ernest Grimsley, Lee Sims and Charlie Wood attended a football game at Crowell Friday afternoon between the Crowell high and the American Legion. The high school was too strong for the Legion boys.

The score was 20 to 9 in favor of the high school team.

Some time ago we announced that Miss Jewel Cato had accepted a position in the Crowell high school. We have learned that this is a mistake which we wish to correct. She is teaching in the Black school near Crowell.

A pie supper was given Friday night at the school house for the benefit of the school. About \$30 was realized out of the sale. Pete Lindsay got a bar of P. & G. soap for being the dirtiest man present.

Ott Schroeder lost a very fine name by lightning Saturday night.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Richter, Jr., Nov. 14, a fine boy.

Otto Schroeder is building a new room to his house this week.

Joe Confal and Ewald Schroeder made a business trip to Crowell Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Johnson and their daughter, Miss Myrtle left Wednesday for a visit in Altus, Okla.

A number of Thalia people attended the show and national guard meeting at Crowell Thursday.

Earl McKinley and Mr. Barson were in Crowell Friday. Mr. McKinley purchased a new car while there.

W. A. Johnson visited Mr. and Mrs. Sim Gamble of the Aversville community Thursday.

J. W. Hunt and Rev. O. A. Graydon of Margaret, were visitors in the Will Wood home Wednesday.

FARGO

Fargo, Nov. 20.—Fargo farmers are almost through picking cotton. There is very little grain sowed in this community. Most of it is up and looking fine.

Among those who were in Vernon from Fargo last week were Mrs. Jennie Coffee, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Scherer, Mrs. J. S. Mason, Mrs. E. M. Culum and her daughter, Miss Fay, Mr. and Mrs. Haye Carbell, Mrs. C. T. Mason and Mrs. A. J. Walls.

The W. M. S. will meet at the Baptist church Thursday afternoon. Group No. 1 will have charge of the program. Mrs. Standifer, president of the W. M. U. of Vernon, will be present. All members are requested to attend. The program follows: Subject—"The Ministry of Healing"; Song—"Rescue the Perishing"; Devotional—"The Need and Power of Healing"; Matt 9: 27-28; Matt 8: 5-13; James 5: 13-16.

Mrs. P. M. Emmett; "Why is there Sickness in the World?"—Mrs. J. T. Marr; "Personal Service—the Ministry to the Sick"—Mrs. F. M. Culum; "Medical Missions"—Mrs. Lou Ross; "A Call to Mother"—Mae Crisp. The Lord's Prayer in unison.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Walls entertained a number of young people with a party Tuesday evening.

The W. M. S. will give a booth supper at the W. O. W. hall Friday night, Nov. 24. Everybody is invited to attend.

The Baptist Workers' meeting will meet with the Fargo Baptist church Nov. 27 and 28. There will be services all day Tuesday and dinner on the ground.

Mrs. A. T. Hays has just returned from a visit to Medicine Mound, Wichita Falls and Oklahoma.

Mrs. R. E. Harrell, who has been ill the past two weeks, is able to be out again.

Rev. Owen, of Hank Hill, preached at the Baptist church Sunday in the absence of the pastor, who attended the convention at Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Mason visited

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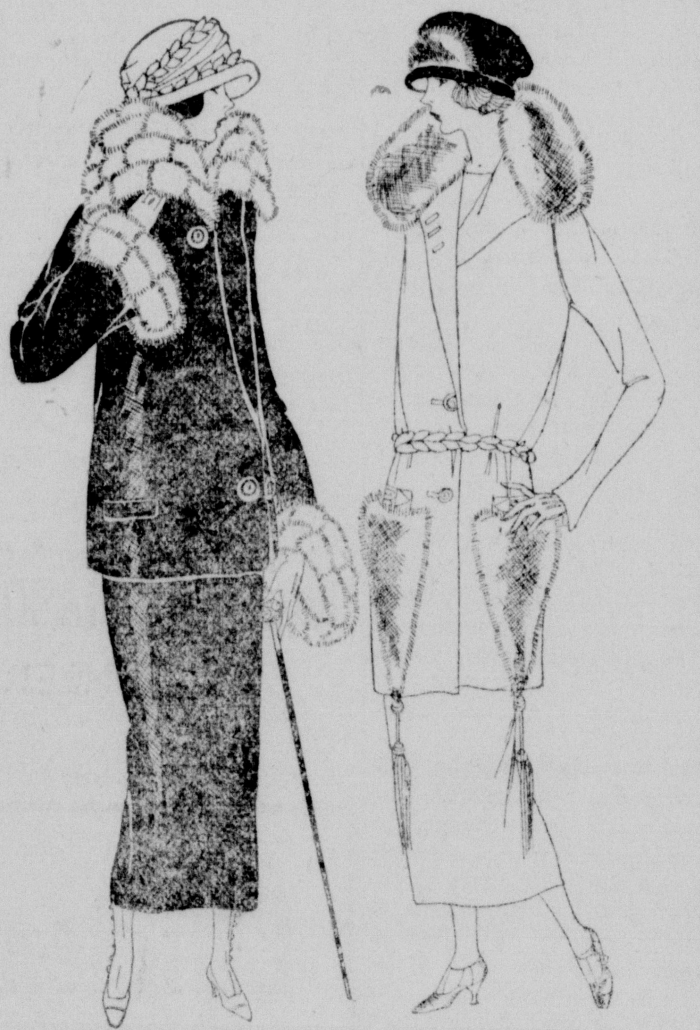
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Suits of Veldyne, Duvet de laine and Poirer Twill plain tailored or self embroidered—some with lovely fur collars. Priced \$24.50 up to \$69.50 at 20 PER CENT DISCOUNT.

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Next Thursday, November 23rd., we begin our Closing Out Sale on our New and Up-to-Date \$50,000 stock of high grade dependable merchandise, including fixtures at wholesale cost. All of this stock is new, bought on the low market and you get the benefit of our purchases. This is a chance of a lifetime, and you will find our prices to be far below the wholesale market today.

Take advantage of this opportunity and supply your needs of Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Hosiery, Notions, Hand Bags, Underwear, Sweaters, Comforts, Blankets, Sheets, Towels and Pillow Cases for the entire coming year.

Don't Forget the Date Thursday, Nov. 23

Our Stock Consists of Following Seasonable Goods

Large stock of new style standard ladies' ready-to-wear.

Large stock of ladies', misses' and children's dress and school shoes—We feature Queen Quality shoes for ladies—Buster Brown school shoes for children Complete line of ladies', misses' and children's high grade silk, wool and lisle hosiery.

Select assortment of standard silk, wool and cotton piece goods.

Extra large stock of gingham, percales, outings, domestics, sheetings, cretonnes and sateens.

Large stock of ladies' and misses' high grade silk and wool sweaters, kid gloves and wool gloves and millinery.

Men's and boys' high grade suits and overcoats.

Men's and boys' high grade dress shoes and school shoes.

Men's and boys' high grade underwear and hosiery.

Men's and boys' high grade hats, caps, ties, belts and suspenders.

Men's and boys' high grade dress gloves and work gloves.

Men's and boys' high grade dress pants and work pants.

Big stock of men's and boys' high grade wool shirts.

Big stock of men's and boys' high grade standard brand overalls.

Big stock of men's and boys' high grade standard Corduroy suits and pants.

Big stock of men's high grade standard brands khaki and moleskin pants.

Big stock of Men's and boys' sweaters.

Big stock of men's and boys' boots, over shoes and rain coats.

Large stock of Notions, Ribbons, Combs, Brushes, Threads, Braids, Laces, Buttons, Needles, Etc.

Everything Goes - - - Nothing Reserved

THE B & E CASH STORE

FORMERLY THE WIDE-A-WAKE VERNON, TEXAS

No Exchanges
No Refunds

Our Store Will Be Closed Wednesday to Arrange Our Stock. Extra Sales Force Will Be Added to Wait on You.

No Exchanges
No Refunds

Come Early - - - Bring Your Neighbor

**FRESH VEGETABLES POSSIBLE
EVERY DAY OF THE YEAR**

With a view to suggesting to those on a restricted diet, particularly to diabetics, ways in which variety might be introduced into the menu, the United States Department of Agriculture has searched the world for promising vegetables, low in carbohydrate. The difficulties of the diabetic diet center mainly around the supply of vegetables and the provision of variety at all seasons. A great number of vegetables have been grown in the course of these investigations. Last year 91 species were planted, so that some vegetable was available every day of the year.

These varieties included asparagus, bean, bush and pole beans, cabbage, carrot, cauliflower, celeriac, celery, chard, chervil, chayote, collards, corn salad, cross, cucumber, dandelion, eggplant, endive, escarole, fennel, kale, kohlrabi, lettuce, mung bean, mustard, New Zealand spinach, okra, onion, leek and shallot, orach, pai-tsai, patience, pepper, purslane, radish, rocket, salsify, scorzonera, sorrel, soy bean, spinach, squash, vegetable marrow, tomato, turnip and witloof. All these vegetables are valuable in the diet of the normal person, as well as the invalid, because of vitamins, minerals and bulk they furnish. Many excellent combinations can be made among them. They vary in their composition and suitability for invalid diets, and the department recommends that the advice of a physician be followed in their use.

The department suggests that every diabetic or other invalid dependent on vegetables who can do so should develop a garden, both for the sake of variety in the diet and because of the new interest and hobby it furnishes. Every city patient may find it possible to have a garden on nearby vacant lots. Most of the uncommon vegetables in the foregoing list can be easily grown. Information concerning them may usually be had from the extension agent, whose headquarters are at the state agricultural college, or from the United States Department of Agriculture.

**MINNESOTA ADOPTS AREA PLAN
OF TUBERCULOSIS ERADICATION**

Minnesota, third in rank as a dairy state, has now definitely taken up the area plan for the eradication of bovine tuberculosis. Counties, state, and the United States Department of Agriculture are to cooperate in carrying on the work. Some time ago a committee of breeders was appointed by the state livestock sanitary board to investigate plans for continuing the fight against the disease. Recently the committee met with the sanitary board and a resolution was unanimously adopted asking the legislature for \$120,000 for area work for two years. The work to be carried on in two counties. In addition the legislature is to be asked for \$500,000 per annum for two years for accredited herd work. The plan is approved by the state veterinarian.

According to the plans laid out, it is proposed that the counties pay for the testing of the cattle at the rate of 25 cents a head. The fund resulting from this charge will be used to pay the inspectors, local, state and federal, who are assigned to the work. Indemnities will be paid in the regular way.

The three big dairy states—Wisconsin, New York and Minnesota—are now all taking up area work, which has become the predominant plan for the eradication of the great cattle plague. Some of the states where the infection is light are expecting to be entirely rid of the disease within a few years.

Few Cases of Diphtheria Reported

A few cases of diphtheria have been reported in Wilbarger county, according to Vernon physicians. Nothing approaching an epidemic has occurred, it was stated.

There are two good places to eat: One at home and the other at Charley Brown's Place.

Mr. and Mrs. Verna Weekley were in the Tolbert community on business last Tuesday.

DISTRICT NO. 1

District No. 1 includes participants residing in the City of Vernon. One of the big Automobiles and as many Cash and Gold awards as there are active candidates will be distributed in District No. 1.

Mrs. Floyd Mundy (Opal Edwards) 6,725,400
Miss Celta Green 6,957,150
Mrs. E. E. Luttrell 5,095,425
Mrs. W. P. Durbin 6,547,225
Miss Vesta Seay 2,110,200
David Eddings 2,001,375
Clyde Compton 1,072,250
J. W. Umbarger 1,971,500
W. T. Ponder 4,970,825

DISTRICT NO. 2

District No. 2 includes participants residing outside the City of Vernon. One of the big Automobiles and just as many Cash and Gold awards as there are active candidates will be distributed in District No. 2.

Miss Vivian Lane 6,987,275
Miss Imah Starnes, Oklaunion 4,877,525
Mr. A. F. Page, Chillicothe 6,780,375
Lillie Inmon, Tolbert 7,175,300
Miss Clarice Hamilton, Odell 4,455,200
Mrs. John Knapp, Tolbert R 1 5,950,900
Mrs. Verna Weekley 7,005,425
Mrs. H. M. Lacey, Tolbert 3,672,625
Mrs. Hollie E. Davidson, R A 2,875,125
Damon Simmons, R 1 2,416,100

Nov. 25 SATURDAY Nov. 25

Will be Vernon day at Story's First Annual Home Portrait Exhibit and opening of new studio.

815 1-2 Indiana, Wichita Falls, Texas

DON'T MISS OR BACKFIRE, BUT COME

Have Dinner With Us

Doesn't a nice brown roast pork or roast beef sound good for today's lunch? You have your choice of meats with our big dinner for

ONLY 35c

We serve the real home kind of food cooked in our own kitchen. All served to you in a clean and sanitary place.

Fred Holley's Cafe

North Main Street

22 DAYS

until two of the hustlers in the Vernon Record's justly famous battle of the ballots will be presented with

PRIZES THAT MEAN ABOUT

\$1,485 IN GOLD

How to Jump in the Lead

Two six year subscriptions (\$24.00) 320,000
This makes (Two "Clubs") 200,000
If new 120,000
Total 640,000

OR

Two six year subscriptions (\$24.00) 320,000
Two five year subscriptions (\$20.00) 200,000
One two year subscription (\$4.00) .. 24,000
These also count for "Clubs" 400,000
And if new 180,000
Total ... 1,124,000

Any other combination of long-term subscriptions will pile up votes on "double quick" if secured by December 2nd at ten P. M. It can be readily seen that these "clubs" count up mighty fast and will be of inestimable value in winning the biggest of the prizes which mean about \$1,485 each to the winner.

IN REWARD FOR THEIR ENERGY AND DETERMINATION. ANY CANDIDATE CAN WIN THESE MAMMOTH PRIZES AS CLOSE AS THE RACE NOW STANDS. EACH INDIVIDUAL'S SUCCESS OR FAILURE—GOLD AND GLORY, CONGRATULATIONS AND COMMENDATIONS OF THIS SECTION, AND TWO OF THE MOST BEAUTIFUL CARS MADE IN AMERICA—EVERYTHING DEPENDS UPON WHAT EACH CANDIDATE IS ABLE TO ACCOMPLISH IN THE NEXT TWENTY-TWO DAYS. EVERY DAY, EVERY HOUR IN THIS SHORT, FATEFUL PERIOD SHOULD BE TAKEN ADVANTAGE OF BY THE EARNEST HUSTLERS WHO WANT TO WIN. IT IS "DO OR DIE" IN THE NEXT TWENTY-TWO DAYS.

Attention Readers!

Now is the time, if ever to help your favorite in this wonderful race for the
RICHEST PRIZES EVER OFFERED IN TEXAS

As close as the race now stands, your subscription may be the very one that will bring a small fortune to your choice in the list. Don't wait to be asked, for in their frantic efforts these last few days, the candidate you want to help may not be able to reach you. Pay your subscription direct to the Vernon Record office, if you wish, and the votes will be credited to anyone you choose.

VOTE SCHEDULE

SECOND PERIOD NOV. 20 TO DEC. 2			THIRD PERIOD DEC 4 TO DEC 9			FOURTH PERIOD DEC. 11 TO DEC. 16		
1 year	2.00	8,000	1 year	\$ 2.00	6,000	1 year	\$ 2.00	3,000
2 years	4.00	24,000	2 years	4.00	18,000	2 years	4.00	15,000
3 years	6.00	50,000	3 years	6.00	40,000	3 years	6.00	30,000
4 years	8.00	75,000	4 years	8.00	60,000	4 years	8.00	45,000
5 years	10.00	100,000	5 years	10.00	80,000	5 years	10.00	60,000
6 years	12.00	160,000	6 years	12.00	125,000	6 years	12.00	90,000

The above schedule of votes, which is on a declining basis, will positively not be raised during the campaign. A special ballot, good for 100,000 extra votes, will be issued on every "club" of \$12.00 in subscriptions turned in. A "club" may be composed of small or large subscriptions totaling \$12.00 worth. No subscriptions will be accepted for over six years from any contestant.

Here is an Opportunity to do a Real Kindness to a Friend—a Kindness That May Mean \$1,485 in the End—Without Costing You One Cent More Than You Would Pay for Your Paper Anyway

Do it now before it is too late! The present vote schedule is again reduced on Saturday night, December, 2nd,
REMEMBER ONLY 22 MORE DAYS IN WHICH TO HELP A FRIEND

STORE AT TOLBERT ROBBED; LOSS SET AT ALMOST \$1,000

Burglars Make Off With
Cargo Of Merchandise
—Missing Shoe Heel
Is Only Clue In Case

The general merchandise store of G. L. Rose, at Tolbert, was burglarized last Wednesday night and goods valued at nearly \$1,000 were stolen. The burglars secured entrance by prizing open the door with a crowbar. The loss was reported to the sheriff's department and Sheriff Frank Edmondson telegraphed peace officers in all nearby county seat towns on both sides of Red River to be on the lookout for the merchandise and the thieves.

The men are believed to have loaded their loot into a Ford car or truck. They left practically no clues by which officers could learn their identity or the route they took after the burglary. One of the men is believed to have had a heel missing from his shoe.

Among the articles stolen were a 12 gauge pump shotgun with a sawed off barrel, a .32 calibre single shot rifle, a quantity of plug tobacco, nine cans of coffee, several cartons of cigarettes, three suits of men's underwear, two sacks of meal, four or five pairs of work shoes, five pairs of ladies' shoes, three wagon sheets, three pairs of overalls, three wool shirts, three red sweaters, 10 pairs of buckskin gloves, a box of silk thread, three boxes of blue work shirts, several pairs of children's rubber boots, and a quantity of children's overalls.

Mr. Rose has authorized a \$50 reward for the recovery of the stolen articles. It is the belief of officers working on the case that the burglary was the work of transients, who will attempt to dispose of the goods through some "fence" working in one of the large cities.

D. J. LEWIS CHOSEN AS CITY POLICEMAN

COMMITTEE APPOINTED TO DEAL
WITH LIGHT AND POWER
QUESTION

D. J. Lewis of Vernon was chosen at a meeting of the city commission Saturday to fill the place on the police force vacated by Sheriff Frank Edmondson. Mr. Lewis was reared in this county.

The city decided to pay \$75 a month until Jan. 1 toward the salary of a special traffic officer and to duplicate any amount paid by the county not to exceed \$50 a month after that date.

Mayor Harry Mason and Commissioners Blackwood and Rogers were empowered to take any action deemed necessary in connection with the municipal bond issue for a light and power plant. G. J. Rossman, manager of the Texas Central Power company, which takes over the property of the North Texas Power and Light company next week, made a talk to the commission, telling some of the things his company proposes to do to improve service here.

CHILLICOTHE FARMERS ARE BUSY SOWING SMALL GRAIN

Considerable cotton remains in the fields around Chillicothe, stated C. H. Rhodes, a farmer of the Chillicothe community, Saturday. Mr. Rhodes was in Vernon on a business trip. A lot of wheat is being sown since the rains he stated. A good season is in the ground following the downpour of last week.

Mr. Rhodes' daughter, Miss Gertrude, is recovering from an operation for appendicitis, performed recently at the Baptist sanitarium at Dallas, he stated.

Sheriff Goes to Breckenridge

Sheriff Frank Edmondson left Sunday for Breckenridge, where he was summoned as a witness in a district court case. He is expected to return tonight. Chief Deputy J. M. Keesee is in charge of the office during his absence.

Married At Drug Store

Jim Dillon and Miss Susie Stuckey, of Kirkland, Tex., were married at the Vernon Drug Store at 9:30 a. m. Monday. Rev. Thomas E. Milholland performed the ceremony. The couple will make their home in Kirkland.

HURLEY SEES SHIPPING BUSINESS INCREASING



Edward N. Hurley

Edward F. Hurley, former chairman of the U. S. Shipping Board, sees a greater future for the shipping business of the Pacific Coast as a result of the San Francisco conference, where rival lines sought their differences. He decries prohibition on American vessels.

BIG DAIRY FARM TO BE STARTED DEC. 1

ENTERPRISE TO BE LOCATED ON
OLD CHITWOOD PLACE
IN EDGE OF TOWN

J. R. Dessick, experienced dairy and poultry man, and C. S. Rutledge have completed plans for the establishment of a big dairy, poultry and hog farm on the 80 acre tract of land known as the old Chitwood place. The tract is located in southeast Vernon, just inside the city limits, and on this land the first dairy farm in Wilbarger county was located.

The new enterprise will start functioning the first of December. Mr. Messick stated yesterday. The dairy will be as sanitary as modern methods can make it, he declared. Concrete floors will be laid in the barn now located on the place and sewerage will be installed in the barn. All the cows will be tested for tuberculosis. The dairy herd will be Jerseys and Holsteins.

Mr. Messick, who will be in charge of the enterprise, also stated that five or six acres of the land will be used for chicken yards. Blooded fowls will be raised—white wyandottis and white leghorns.

Mr. Messick will start in the hog industry with a good grade of stock hogs, he stated, but it is planned to turn later to pure bred big blooded Poland Chinas. He already has 10 registered Poland China pigs.

Mr. Messick has resided in Wilbarger county since 1911, with the exception of about a year spent in Tarrant county. For a time he ran the J. R. Messick and Sons dairy in Vernon. Since returning from Central Texas, he has been engaged in farming.

LIGHT COMPANY WILL RECEIVE DEISEL ENGINE IN JANUARY

The Texas Central Power Company, which has recently acquired the local interest of the Texas Public Service company, is expecting its new Deisel oil engine to arrive in Vernon the latter part of January, according to J. G. Rossman, local representative of the new concern.

Mr. Rossman is in receipt of a telegram from company headquarters at San Antonio, advising him that the company had contracted for the engine to be shipped from the factory during the early part of January.

W. C. T. U. To Meet Thursday

The Vernon W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of J. A. Carney Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock, when an interesting program will be rendered.

Cecil Storey left today for El Paso to look after legal business. Mr. Storey is expected to be gone about a week.

WILBARGER COUNTY RAISES \$3,500,000 WORTH OF COTTON

Crop Exceeds Early Estimate By 7,000 Bales;
Yield Is Best West Or
North Of Fort Worth

Wilbarger county has gained 25,657 bales of cotton this fall, according to data gathered by the Record today from all gins in the county except one, and an estimate on this which can not be far wrong. This total exceeds by 7,000 bales the estimate made early in the season, while enough cotton remains in the fields to run the final figures for 1922 to nearly 27,000 bales. The total for last year was about 23,500 bales.

Wilbarger county has raised more cotton this year than any other county located west or northwest of Fort Worth. With not more than a fourth of the area planted to the staple which big cotton raising counties of Central Texas put in this year, it has raised a third as much as any county in the state.

On the sandy land, which resists drought better than the black land, the yield has run from a third to a half a bale per acre, with many individual instances of a bale to the acre, and a few even higher than that. On the tight land the yield, while light, was still better than in many cotton centers of the state.

Outlook Is Encouraging

At prevailing prices, a very conservative estimate would indicate that Wilbarger county farmers have received \$2,500,000 for their cotton this fall. Banks, business men and all the elements which go to make up the life of the county have felt the stimulating effect of the good cotton crop. With prospects very bright for a bumper wheat yield, livestock prices on the up-grade, and the demand for poultry and dairy products brisk, farmers of this county are perhaps as fortunate as those of any section in the Southwest.

The fine fall weather, which enabled cotton growers to harvest their crop without damage to the staple, has been an encouraging factor in this year's movement to market. According to local buyers, practically no low-grade cotton has been marketed in Vernon.

Vernon gins handled 10,198 bales, while other gins turned out 15,500 bales, the reports show.

The figures:

City Gins	
Vernon	2,177
Peoples	2,370
Farmers	2,176
F. & M.	1,005
Planters	2,475
County Gins	
Tolbert	675
Parsley Hill	1,215
Odell	3,926
Harrold	616
Elliott	535
Rayland	1,629
Fargo	1,928
Farmers Valley	749
Oklahoma (Estimated)	560 and 1,356
Lockett	2,325

Infant Is Christened Sammie June

Sammie June is the name given to the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Porterfield. She was born Nov. 12 and she and Mrs. Porterfield are getting along nicely.

FARMER IS CHARGED WITH COTTON THEFT

Hiram Templeton, a tenant farmer who has been residing on the D. H. Henry farm, is in jail on a complaint sworn out by the sheriff's department charging felony theft, following his arrest Saturday at Waureka, Okla. It is alleged that he sold a bale of cotton belonging to Mr. Henry, a local cotton buyer being the purchaser.

He was arrested by Waureka authorities on information furnished by Sheriff Frank Edmondson. Ruben Bailey, deputy, left here Saturday for Waureka and returned Sunday with Templeton.

Young People to Study Mission Book

The Young People's Missionary society of the First Methodist church will meet at 3:30 p. m. Friday at the home of Mrs. J. B. Morris, on West Texas street, to begin study of the book "Playing Square with Tomorrow." All young people of the church are asked to attend.

NEW FIGURE IN HALL-MILLS MURDER.



Edwin Carpenter

Among the closest advisers of Mrs. Frances Stevens Hall, widow of the slain New Brunswick (N. J.) minister, is Edwin Carpenter, a wealthy cousin.

W. M. CREAGER DIES OF HEART FAILURE

Funeral Services Held At
First Methodist Church
Interment in Eastview

W. M. Creager, 53 years old, died suddenly at his home at Electra at 7:30 a. m. Monday. Death was due to heart failure. Mr. Creager has been a resident of this county about 41 years. At the time of his death he was engaged in the wholesale gasoline and oil business.

A short funeral service was held at Electra at 10 a. m. today and a service at the First Methodist church of Vernon at 2 p. m. Dr. Robert E. Dickerson officiating. Interment was in Eastview cemetery, under direction of the Masonic lodge.

Mr. Creager is survived by his wife, his father, J. A. Creager, of Vernon; three brothers, J. H. of Fort Worth, J. P., of Vernon and L. H., of Mineral Wells; and three sisters, Mrs. F. D. Little, of Electra, Miss Nina Creager, of Vernon, and Mrs. W. S. Overton of Oklahoma.

He was born in Grayson county, and moved with his parents to Wilbarger county when he was 12 years old. He grew to manhood here and in his early twenties he went back to Grayson county and married Miss Mattie Gooden, his childhood sweetheart. No children survive him.

He was a member of the Masonic lodge at Lorenzo, Tex., and a charter member of the First Methodist church of Vernon. He joined the church when he was 11 years old.

GRADUATE IN EXPRESSION TO AID IN CHURCH SONG SERVICE

Mr. and Mrs. Bertuel and Mrs. John Milholland have arrived here from Dallas for a few days' visit at the home of Rev. Thomas E. Milholland, minister of the Church of Christ. Mrs. Bertuel and Miss Julia are Rev. Milholland's daughters.

Mrs. Bertuel gave a very interesting reading at her father's Bible class at the church Monday morning. She is a post graduate in expression. She will read perhaps each night during the song drill which began Monday evening at 7:30 under the direction of Prof. T. S. Tedlie, and which will be held nightly this week.

Everyone who enjoys good singing is invited to attend the song service.

WILBARGER FARMER RAISES HEAVY MILO MAIZE CROP

O. L. Haynes, living 18 miles south-west of Vernon, was a visitor in Vernon last Saturday.

Mr. Haynes reports one of the best feed crops he has raised in years. "I have five acres of Red Dwarf maize from which I gathered seven tons," he said. Mr. Haynes is a Record reporter. Mr. Haynes has been farming in Wilbarger for the past 15 years. He is farming on the W. W. Webb place this year.

Lead Gander In Flock Of Wild Geese Killed By 18 Year Old Youth

Louis Kiesling, 18 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kiesling, who reside 11 miles east of Vernon, qualified as a fancy wing shot late Friday afternoon when he brought down an eight pound wild goose.

Louis had started on a duck hunt to the Pease and Red Rivers, which unite a short distance from his home, his father stated Saturday while in Vernon. A gang of geese flew overhead while the youth was crossing a maize patch, and he killed the lead gander with one shot from a pump shotgun.

So far as is known, this is the first wild goose killed near Vernon this season.

Many wild ducks are to be found on Red River, Mr. Kiesling stated.

FORTY-TWO TOURNAMENT WILL BE HELD NEXT FRIDAY NIGHT

A forty-two tournament will be held at the Elks' club rooms Friday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock and Friday evening from 8:30 to 10:30, according to announcement made today. The public is invited to attend the tournament. A moderate admission will be charged.

The affair is being staged under the auspices of the Home Science club. Proceeds from the sale of tickets will go to the civic improvement fund.

Leave To Attend State Meet

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mason and Jim Townsend left Sunday for Fort Worth, to attend the annual meeting of the Texas League of Municipalities. Delegates to the league were guests of the Fort Worth Kiwanis club at a luncheon Monday.

VERNON TO MEET SEYMOUR FRIDAY

Vernon high school, undefeated this year except in one game with Wichita Falls, is scheduled to meet an equally strong adversary on the local grounds at 3 p. m. Friday, when the Seymour eleven takes the field. The only defeat suffered by Seymour this fall was at the hands of Graham, which was by three points.

The visitors are reported to have a good margin over the Vernon boys in weight, but is looking forward to a hard battle.

The lineup which will probably be used by Coach Galbraith follows: Rogers or Abbott, C.; Thompson, R. T.; Key or C. Reed, R. G.; Buchanan or Shive, C. B.; Reed, L. G.; Robinson, L. T.; Ferguson or Justin, L. E.; Hollar, Q.; Withers, R. H.; H. Bourland, L. H.; Walker, F. B. Hollar will command the battle from the field. In cases where two players are mentioned for one place they may be alternated, as has been done in most of the games this season.

Hard to Figure Leader; Race Extremely Close

Extra Special \$100 Cash Prize Offered During Second Period To Candidates Entering Home Stretch—Big Capital Prizes Await Winners In Record's Epoch Making Contest

ON THE HOME STRETCH

Going Up!

Swinging into line, all a-tingle with high hopes and ambition, candidates in the Record's now famous campaign, have swelled their vote totals to a wonderfully high mark and from now on to the finish it will be a pretty exciting race between the leaders.

The first period of the campaign, which closed Saturday night, was a tremendous success. Tens of thousands, yes hundreds of thousands of votes issued and every "live" candidate profited mightily.

It is a strange coincidence, too, and something unusual in affairs of this kind, but each of the leading candidates who is striving for first honors and the grandprizes, benefitted so equally during the period just closed that, without hair-line figuring could today's leaders be determined.

The competition, therefore, so far as the relative standing of the candidates is concerned, depends almost entirely upon the results obtained by the various contestants between now and the finish as to who the ultimate winners will be.

The above is not "mere talk" for the sake of telling, but a real fact—theories or rumors notwithstanding. Hence, the struggle for supremacy will be fought out during the next few days, for the entire campaign comes to a fateful close in just a few weeks. The "Second Period" closes Saturday, December 2nd.

And now for the whirlwind finish. Now for the sensations and surprises. These are the days that will test the resourcefulness of the candidates. Here is where their courage upholds them and makes them fight, or the lack of it takes the stiffness out of their knees and leaves them trailing in the dust—an "also ran." There are times too, when the supreme courage urges them on when they tire, and that is the GAMEST FIGHT OF ALL.

VOTES WILL PILE UP RAPIDLY.

Votes will pile up rapidly during the next 12 days—that is while the "second period" schedule is in effect. While the second period schedule is less than that for the first, votes are so liberal that any candidate can take advantage of it and win. The decrease in the schedule between the first and second periods is not to be compared to that between the second and final periods.

LION'S CLUB SEES SLEIGHT OF HAND

OFFICIALS OF ORGANIZATION
WILL VISIT FREDERICK
NEXT FRIDAY NIGHT

A. L. Haley, evangelistic singer and crayon illustrator, gave an exhibition of clever sleight-of-hand work at the regular weekly meeting and luncheon of the Lion's club. Tying and untying knots in a handkerchief, causing a glass of water to disappear and many other tricks were performed. Mr. Haley was the only guest present at the meeting. His entertainment met with enthusiastic praise.

Adam Dinges told fellow members of the Lions' club that he "took" everything that was loose" when he exhibited seven birds from his prize-winning flock of buff orpingtons at the Monday poultry show. Mr. Dinges praised the show and gave some interesting facts about the town and the section in which it is located.

The club decided to accept an invitation from Frederick Lions to attend a special meeting in the Oklahoma town Friday night. All officers of the local club and several of the other members are planning to attend the Frederick meeting. It is understood that a very special program has been arranged.

A letter from the American Legion, asking the cooperation of the Lion's Club in aiding National Education Week, Dec. 3 to 9, was read. President Harding has promised to issue a proclamation designating the week on the above dates, the letter stated. It was decided that special emphasis would be laid on education at the meeting held the first week in December. The local post of the American Legion promised to furnish a speaker for the occasion.

VETERANS PASS RESOLUTION ON DEATH OF C. A. RICHIE

A resolution expressing bereavement over the death of C. A. Richie, district clerk of Wilbarger county and a Civil War veteran, was passed Monday by Camp Cahell, No. 125, Confederate Veterans. The resolution is as follows: "The death of our beloved brother, C. A. Richie, makes our hearts sad but our camp knowing him as we do, believe that he is better off. We are resolved to go to him and would not have him come back to us."

"L. H. STALCUP, Adjutant"

Then too, work is worth real cash this next 12 days. New subscriptions in addition to counting up in the vote score for the great capital prizes, count towards the \$100 to be awarded Saturday night, Dec. 2nd, for new subscriptions received this period. The special \$100 cash prize offer, which is independent and extra from the \$5,000 offered in big automobiles and cash prizes, is fully explained on another page of this issue.

Workers Have Added Incentive
Workers these coming 12 days have an added incentive—for \$100 extra money is something worth while.

The liveliest part of the competition is now at hand and while all the leaders are on the same footing, at the same time, those who want to and will, are afforded the opportunity of the entire campaign to forge ahead and earn the winning votes.

100 Per Cent Efficiency Counts
From now on until the finish, is the time when one hundred per cent efficiency counts.

'Tis the coward who quits to misfortune.

'Tis the knave who changes each day.

'Tis the fool who starts like a whirlwind.

Then throws all his chances away.

The time to succeed is when others

Discouraged show traces of tire.

The battle is fought on the home stretch.

And won 'twist the flag and the wire.

Second Period

During the "second period" (these next 12 days) subscriptions will count big; in fact they count for almost as many now as during the first period just closed. For example; one six-year subscription counting 100,000 extra free votes allowed on 812 clubs counts 200,000 votes now where formerly 300,000 votes were given.

Better Be Safe Than Sorry

A few more laps and the course will have been run. Only a short time remains to choose between victory and defeat—success or failure. Don't overlook a single chance to better your opportunity to win. Avail yourself of every opportunity this period affords.

Think and plan constantly, for this means success. Figure ways to win, and always remember that your adversaries, as keen perhaps and as resourceful as yourself are racking very acute brains for the same purpose.

It means something to win in a competition of this kind. It means up to \$1,485. It is a demonstration of capacity that is extraordinary. It proves a winning personality. Sometimes it proves up the "yellows" in our "bogus" friends and it always tests your nettle and measures your strength. And now the final home-stretch.

CITY'S NEW WATER
SUPPLY ANALYZEDSHOWS PRACTICALLY SAME MIN-
ERAL CONTENT AS THAT
IN MAINS

(Water from the 21 acre tract near Condon Springs, from which the city hopes to obtain a development program recently authorized can be completed shows practically the same analysis as the city water now being used.)

This is the statement of the International Filter company, which has analyzed samples of the Condon Springs water for the Central Texas Power company. The latter concern asked for an analysis in order to determine the fitness of the new supply for ice making.

"Although this water will require purification before being suitable for the manufacture of merchantable raw water ice," the statement reads, "Treatment will practically eliminate the calcium and magnesium carbonates, entirely eliminate the iron and suspended matter and greatly reduce the silica and change the calcium carbonate to the less objectionable calcium sulphate or sodium sulphate, with a result that the treated water will be suitable for the manufacture of raw water ice, provided the water is properly agitated with air while freezing, and the core water removed, if necessary, and replaced with purified water."

The laboratory estimates that the cost of treating the water in the manner outlined in the letter will be about one cent per ton of ice.

No Mineral Acidity

The analysis shows that the Condon Springs water has five parts of suspended matter per million, and a total of 543.14 parts of dissolved solids per million. Its hardness, expressed in terms of calcium carbonate, is given as 330 parts per million, its alkalinity at 200, as shown by its reaction to methyl orange, and its mineral acidity as zero.

In terms of chemical composition, the water shows 160 parts of calcium carbonate per million units, 120 parts of calcium chloride, 23 parts of magnesium sulphate, 14 parts of iron oxide, 28 parts of silica, five parts of suspended matter, 80 parts of sodium sulphate, 130 parts of sodium carbonate, and seven parts of carbon dioxide. Samples from the present city water supply were sent to the laboratory of the International Filter company last August.

NO REST—NO PEACE

There's no peace and little rest for the one who suffers from a bad back, and distressing urinary disorders—Vernon people recommend Doan's Kidney Pills. Ask your neighbors. Be guided by their experience.

Mrs. W. C. Ferguson, N. Bowie St., says: "My kidneys and back were in bad shape. My back ached day and night right through the small part of it and there was a dull, bearing-down pain through my hips. When I stooped I had sharp, cutting pains that caught me in the small of my back and I could hardly straighten again. My back was so sore I couldn't rest well at night. It felt as if every muscle in my body was lame. My kidneys were weak and irregular in action. I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised and decided to try them. After using one box of this medicine I was cured of the attack."

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ON VISIT TO U. S.

Epime Antonescu

Epime Antone Antonescu, member of the Rumanian Supreme court and regarded as that nation's leading financial expert has arrived in America for conferences regarding Rumania's debt to the United States.

METHODISTS LEAD
AT SUNDAY SCHOOLBAPTISTS CLOSE SECOND; LARGE
CROWDS REPORTED AT ALL
CHURCHES

The First Methodist church took the lead again last Sunday in Sunday school attendance, with 425 members, and visitors present, compared with 421 at the First Baptist church. The Central Christian church had 206, the Church of Christ 190, and the Presbyterian church 163. The total of 1,403 represents a substantial increase over the average for the last two months.

Good attendance was reported at all church services. At the First Baptist church, Rev. Mins' place was taken by W. N. Stokes at the morning service and Dr. Brooks Green at the evening service. At the Central Christian church, where a revival was in progress, large congregations were in attendance. The singing and crayon drawing of A. L. Haley is a great attraction at the meeting.

The first Sunday afternoon service, held at the Pictorial Theater, drew a large crowd. Rev. Lewis P. Kopp, minister of the Central Christian church, made an address, and Mr. Haley did some of his crayon and song work. The two will be in charge of the service again next Sunday. Decision to hold the Sabbath afternoon service each week was made at a meeting of the pastors' association a week ago.

At the Church of Christ, O. E. Phillips, a representative of the Abilene Bible college, spoke at the morning hour. T. S. Tedlie was in charge of the song service. One person took membership in the church. Rev. Thomas B. Mitholland, minister of the church, spoke at the evening hour. The house was crowded at both meetings.

1,445 PUPILS NOW ENROLLED
IN VERNON'S SCHOOL SYSTEM

Fourteen hundred and forty five pupils are now enrolled in the city school, Superintendent E. L. Dohoney stated this morning. This is a larger enrollment than was shown at the same time last year. Two new teachers have been employed since the opening of the school term. The first assumed her duties at the high school about Oct. 15. The second went to work last week. She is Mrs. Blanche Armstrong. She is teaching third and fourth grade classes at the Central school.

Mrs. Armstrong has taught three years in the city schools of Galveston and also taught in the Brookline public school, at Boston, Mass.

On account of the state teachers' institute being held at Houston, several hundred miles from Vernon, few if any teachers from this city will at

TRIBUTE PAID TO
MRS. W. P. GARVINMISSIONARY SOCIETY PRAISES
CHARACTER OF MEMBER
WHO DIED OCT. 22

A high tribute to the character of Mrs. W. P. Garvin, who died at her home in Vernon on Oct. 22, following a long illness, is paid in resolutions adopted yesterday by the Woman's Missionary society of the First Methodist church, of which she was a member. Mrs. Garvin was the wife of Rev. W. P. Garvin, presiding elder of the Vernon district. The resolutions follow:

"On Sunday morning, Oct. 22, 1922, the Angel of Death entered the home of Rev. W. P. Garvin and wafted the spirit of his beloved wife and helpmeet to his heavenly home, where sickness nor sorrow can enter.

"Whereas, in view of the loss our Woman's Missionary Society has sustained by the translation of this, our friend and sister from her earthly home to her home in heaven, and the still greater loss so keenly felt by her loved ones, therefore be it

"Resolved, that it is but a fitting tribute to the memory of our friend and sister to say that in her removal from our midst, we mourn for one whose influence for the higher nobler things will linger with us.

"Among her many Christian characteristics was her patience in affliction and her complete surrender to God's will, which made her life an inspiration to all who came in personal touch with her.

"And the glories of the brighter world, her tired and sick body has found rest and ease, her spirit, peace.

"Resolved, that we bow in humble submission to this dispensation of an all-wise Father.

"May the comforting grace of God sustain the family in these hours of grief and loneliness and may each of them plan a triumph reunion with this loved one, in a fairer land over there, beyond the shadows of the present.

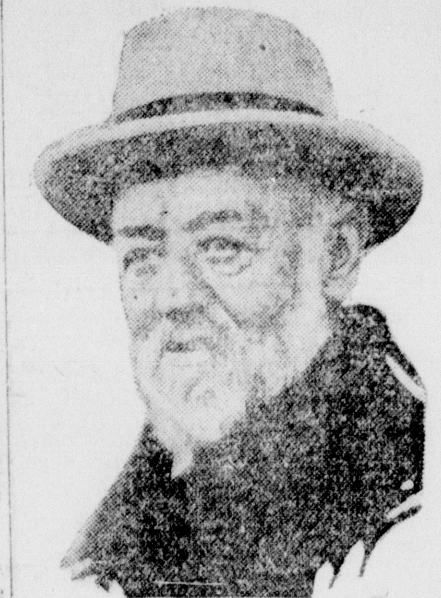
"Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be furnished the family, be sent to the Vernon papers, and be spread on the minutes.

"Respectfully submitted,
"Mrs. G. W. Backus, Mrs. T. M. Ferguson, Mrs. S. E. Lloyd.

"Approved by the president, W. M. S. M. E. Church, Vernon, Tex., Nov. 20, 1922.

"Mrs. Rena Watts."

tend, in Mr. Dohoney's belief. He stated that he may arrange to go. The institute will be held on Thanksgiving day and the two following days.

MILLIONAIRE PHILANTHRO-
PIST SAVES THE BABIES

Nathan Strauss

When he returned from a visit to Europe recently it was said of Nathan Strauss, millionaire New York philanthropist, that he has saved more babies than there were lives lost in the World War because of his munificent milk pasteurization charities in America.

LOCKETT

Lockett, Nov. 20.—Miss Wilma Lockett spent Saturday night in Vernon with Miss Opal Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hampton and children visited their daughter in Dallas last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lowe, of Vernon, visited Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Lockett Sunday.

Rev. Pat Murphy of Medicine Mound filled the pulpit at Lockett last Sunday morning.

Glenn Barnes of Vernon, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Pierce and Aubrey Phillips.

Rev. T. F. Johnson, who has charge of the Vernon circuit, filled the pulpit at Wesley Chapel Sunday and Sunday night. Rev. Johnson will preach every third Sunday and Sunday night for the coming year at Wesley Chapel, instead of every second Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Bagwell and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Pigg of Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Pigg and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ross visited Mr. and Mrs. Verdel Ross last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Duncan of Duncan, Okla., are visiting Mrs. J. W. Moorehead.

Hugh Hampton visited his sister in Dallas last week.

Frank Martin left Saturday for a visit to his parents at Petrolia.

H. and Ezra Cobb and E. H. Cato purchased new cars last week.

Those in Vernon from Lockett Saturday were P. A. Blankenship, Mrs. Verda Weckley, Verena Chae, Vivian Meredith, Frank Sylvester, Miller Mer-

edith, F. S. Lockett, A. L. Vaughan, Lem and Miss Minnie Foster, T. E. Davis, Aubrey Lockett, Thurman Litchfield, J. N. Moorehead, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Henderson, Verdel Ross, Fred Goin, E. H. Tooley, Roscoe Wiseman, T. B. Leverett, Rudolph Hoofman Jr., Joe Goodman, J. B. and Amos Leverett, S. C. Davenport and I. G. Church.

Miss Naomi Lincecum, of Chillicothe visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lincecum Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Leverett, of El Dorado, Okla., visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Leverett Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Ham, of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ham Wednesday and Thursday.

Willis and J. C. Cato of Fargo, are spending the week with their sister, Mrs. W. L. Martin.

F. S. and J. E. Lockett and C. H. Cato went to Tolbert Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ham visited in

Vernon last Tuesday.

Mrs. W. L. Martin visited her parents at Fargo Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Lockett are ill this week.

Mrs. H. W. Starnes visited relatives

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Roast Young Turkey with Oysters Dressing and Cranberry Sauce

VEGETABLES

Macaroni au Gratin

Mashed Potatoes

French Peas in Cream

SALAD

Fruit Salad

DESSERTS

English Plum Pudding with Hard Sauce

Fruit Cake

DRINKS

Coffee—Hot Tea—Ice Tea—Sweet Milk or Butter Milk

The Liberty Cafe

FACTS!

"My goodness mother! I didn't know I was getting so stout. What shall I do? Just look at this photograph and compare it with the one I had made two years ago," exclaimed a very beautiful Vernon girl to her mother last week after receiving a dozen pictures of herself made by Clifton.

This incident merely serves to prove that a photograph will invariably point out any improper physical care which everyone should guard against.

This young lady immediately took steps to correct her appearance and reduce.

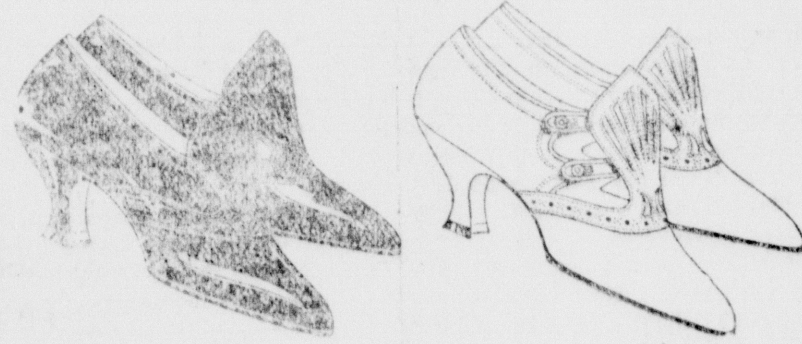
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They are very attractive.

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Our modern methods of cleaning absolutely cleans and leaves no trace of the spots. A phone call is all you have to do, to make sure your clothes are ready for wear.

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We have added a complete hatters' equipment and your old hats can be restored to usefulness and good appearance. Give us a trial on that hat. You will be very much pleased with the results at such reasonable prices.

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ENTHUSIASM MARKS ELKS' COMEDY SHOW

CAST OF MORE THAN 200 IS NEARLY COMPLETED; REHEARSALS DAILY

Perhaps the most pretentious amateur performance which has ever been undertaken here will be the ELK's Christmas charity show, "Round the Clock With the Debutantes," a three act musical comedy novelty including 36 novelty features. The show will be staged under the direction of Mrs. Frankie Terrell Young, playwright-producer of 12 years' experience, who has spent much time under New York's best artists in the study of her art.

Rehearsals are under full sway, displaying an overwhelming measure of enthusiasm and inspiration and indicating that the more than 200 members of the cast will delight the large audience expected on the evenings of Dec. 6 and 7 at the Vernon Theatre. The large cast is now being very carefully selected and is almost complete. Rehearsals for the different groups have been under headway for several days. The cast includes well known business men, society matrons, debutantes, sub-debs, and juvenile chorus groups, displaying loveliness and refinement seldom seen on the professional stage.

From the magic clock this well chosen cast will sing and dance and be featured in burlesque scenes and many novelties throughout the two hours and 15 minutes production, with no response to encores, no waits between scenes, and no long dramatic lines, but snappy, clever arrangements fashioned after recent Broadway successes.

The scenic and electrical effects are being very carefully arranged and nothing will be overlooked in the way of proper staging and with the delightful array of beautiful girls, charming voices, elaborate costumes, excellent stage management and music gracefully combined in making this snappy musical comedy a whirlwind of surprises, every one should be eager to do his bit in making it the success it has proved in other cities. While the show is being staged under the auspices of the ELKs the whole city is taking part.

Last Christmas the ELKs gave away more than 200 toys to children who Santa Claus would otherwise have overlooked.

MUSICAL PROGRAM AT CHURCH OF CHRIST WELL ATTENDED

Over 100 persons took part in a musical program which began last night at the Church of Christ, Tillot St. Teddie, a well known local musician, is directing the program of singing.

Mrs. Knowlan Bertucci, daughter of Elder Milholand, pleased the audience with her reading performances.

The program will continue the rest of the week, and probably extend into the following week, according to Mr. Tedley.

VERNON BOYS ADD NICKLE TO PRICE

PAID BY MONSIEUR, THE COUNT, FOR

TURKEY TO FEAST THE HUNGRY "400"

The fat Turkey which forms the crowning triumph of many a dinner in fashionable New York homes Thanksgiving day will be a Wilbarger county product. Members of the "Four Hundred," who gather about a festive board while the pompous old butler beams in the background will probably be too engorged of the tempting odor to wonder why or how the bird got there, and again it is not the habit of the "Four Hundred" to wonder at any blessing which falls into its lap, so to speak. Not that the turkey will fall in anybody's lap, unless the carver has been on a jag. Such a catastrophe would cause a blush of mortification to heighten the rouge on Mr. Lady's cheeks, while the Monsieur, the Count, would remove his monocle and remark, "I say this is badly unfortunate."

But the career of many turkeys which will cause the hearts of New York hosts to swell with pardonable pride on the last day of November started on the ranges of Wilbarger county. Hatched into the world in what has been declared "the finest turkey raising in America," these Thanksgiving birds grew without let or hindrance. They will reach the Eastern market plump, tender and delicious of flavor.

A Big Industry

Many persons are not aware of the magnitude of the turkey raising industry in this county. This year one Vernon firm—the Zachry-McCaleb Produce company—has already shipped 10,000 pounds of turkey meat to the north and east. Last fall Mr. Zachry shipped 90,000 pounds.

The rear end of the company's store building on North Main street, has been converted into a turkey slaughtering and packing house. It is an interesting sight to watch the process of preparing the birds for market.

A tier of coops runs along the north wall of this room, and in these coops the fat turkeys repose, unmindful of the fate awaiting them. A "killer" opens a coop and with a long wire hook grabs a turkey. He hangs it up by the feet to a hook suspended from the ceiling.

After hanging the turkey up at a height convenient to the "pickers," the "killer" runs a sharp knife inside its throat and cuts the large arteries and veins. This process is called "bleeding." He then runs the knife in its brain.

Still the turkey is not dead. According to Mr. Zachry it is necessary to pick the birds alive, otherwise the feathers will not come off. But they are probably so nearly dead that they are not aware of the process.

The killer plucks out the large wing and tail feathers. Then he turns the bird over to one of the pickers, a boy,

ranging in age from 10 to 16 years. He strips off the remainder of the feathers and takes the carcass to an inspector. If the latter thinks the job well enough done he issues the boy a check good for five cents. If the work is not complete he sends the lad back to finish it.

Taken To the "Cooler"

After the inspector accepts the turkey it is placed on a long rack on the other side of the room. The carcasses are later taken from the racks and carried to the local ice house, where they are frozen. This process requires about 48 hours. They are then packed in paper lined barrels, to be shipped east or held in storage ready for shipment. They will keep indefinitely in storage.

The Zachry-McCaleb company sometimes make up a carload itself for shipment and sometimes sells to a jobber who is buying to complete a carload.

The slaughter room is a busy place. Saturday afternoon there were from 10 to 15 boys at work. Most of them had aprons made of gunny sacks. Feathers were piled high on the floor where they were engaged.

The killer receives five cents for each bird he handles, and makes at attractive wages. The boys make as high as 25 cents an hour, depending on their speed and application. Saturday the company slaughtered and packed 1,850 pounds of turkey meat.

Local firms are paying about 30 cents a pound for turkeys. Mr. Zachry stated. The meat will be delivered to New York jobbers, freight charges paid, at 50 or 55 cents a pound. Monsieur, the Count, will pay 85 cents

and possibly \$1 a pound for the fat gobbler which adds to the impendable price of the butler on Thanksgiving day. And even so, the gobbler will be worth it.

UNION

Union, Nov. 20.—Work on the road running west from the school house will begin as soon as field work is finished. The road will be clayed as it is very sandy.

Among the persons who were in Vernon Saturday from this community were Bob Hampton, E. B. Gilchrist, Barvial Wade and Troy Orr.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hampton, of Lockett, spent Sunday with their uncle, Bob Hampton.

Those who attended church at Brown Sunday evening from here were Jesse Hampton, Bob Hampton, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Gilchrist and their son, John, and daughter, Bennie Lou, Misses Ethel and Janie Hampton, Clarence Knowles, Osa Wilbanks, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie L. Bess, Miss Iona Carrington, Floyd Birchfield, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Clarida, Misses Vera and Lorene Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Copeland, Mrs. R. W. Wood and Claud Knowles.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Gilchrist and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bess visited O. S. Raper of Brown, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Paschal and children, Maclean and Doris, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Paschal.

Next Sunday is our regular singing evening. Everybody is invited to come.

Federation Meeting Tomorrow

The regular monthly meeting of the Federation of Women's Clubs will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the library building.

Important matters affecting the work of the organization will be discussed at this meeting and it is hoped that a good attendance will be had.

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Miss Rosa Lee Ramsay who has been visiting for the past three months with friends and relatives in Honey Grove returned home Sunday.

Complete line of stock and poultry remedies.—Ferguson Drug Co. 90-2tc

Ladies: Why have a tired Christmas? We have done the sewing and cooking too.—Presbyterian Guild Bazaar, December 2nd. 89-5tc.

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The Record today announces a NEW Additional \$100.00
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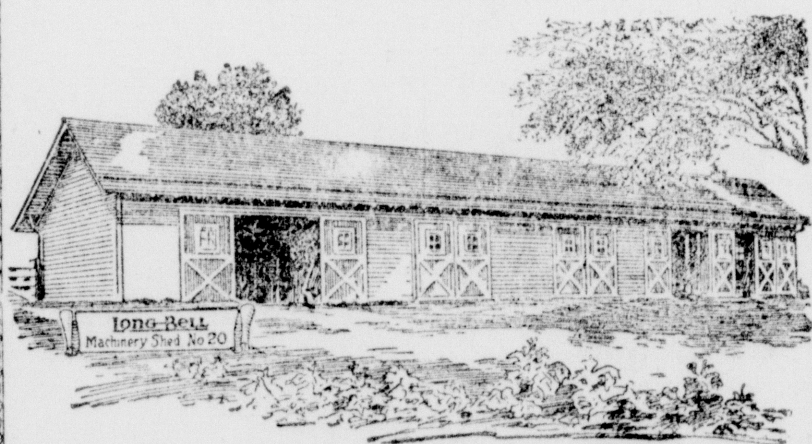
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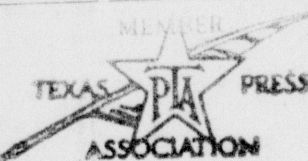
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Vernon, Texas, Friday, Nov. 21, 1922

LEGISLATIVE REFORMS.

There has been a clamor lately
for revision of the judicial
system of Texas, and almost
anybody will admit that revision
is badly needed. But while lit-
tle has been said about it, our
legislative system is equally
open to reform.

Conditions have changed mat-
terially in Texas since the time
in which the legislature should
remain in session was limited by
the constitution at three months
out of each two years. At the
present day it would seem im-
possible to intelligently transact
the business which demands at-
tention in that length of time.

Law practitioners are familiar
with the slovenly haste displayed
in "railroading" bills through the
legislature—the jokers often
slipped in, the vague provisions
and impossible contradictions
which throw new burdens on the
already overburdened courts.

Texas needs a legislature
which can remain in session un-
til its business is transacted,
and which will have ample time
to intelligently discuss and dis-
pose of the measures which come
before it. The state would also
benefit by a material reduction
in the number of representative
districts.

State senators and representa-
tives might also be allowed a
salary commensurate with the
dignity and importance their po-
sitions should hold, without
bankrupting the commonwealth.

The legislature, far more than
the governor, holds the purse-
strings of the state. It can ap-

propriate there and withhold here,
and pile up a deficit or keep the
treasury on a cash basis.

The state of Texas is a cor-
poration which operates on a scale
running far into the millions of
dollars annually. It is strange
that the legislators, who have
first and last word concerning
the expenditure of these millions,
are paid on a basis of five dol-
lars a day.

More than ever before, Texas
needs men in the legislature who
are broad enough and big enough
to put through some construc-
tive legislation. The state can-
not run on forever with nothing
to guide it but campaign thunder
such as was furnished by the
Mayfield-Peddy issue, or the old
fight between the wets and the
drys.

OPEN COLUMN

Editor of The Vernon Record,
Vernon, Texas,

My Dear Sir:—As there are a num-
ber of students from Wilbarger coun-
ty in the North Texas State Normal
College this year, it has occurred to me
that some news of the College would
be of interest to your readers. As I
am a student of the college and a re-
sident of Wilbarger county, I am tak-
ing the liberty to send you the fol-
lowing items, some of which may, I
hope, appear in your newspaper.

The students of the North Texas
State Normal College, whose homes
are in West Texas counties, met No-
vember 15 and organized a county club.
The purpose of the club is to promote
the social life and the cordial rela-
tions between the students of the coun-
ties.

The following officers were elect-
ed: Miss Louise Smith, president; J.
J. Grace, secretary; Miss Elizabeth
Hayes, press reporter for Wilbarger
county.

There are 1,267 students enrolled
in the Normal College this term, ex-
clusive of the students in the training
school. Wilbarger county is repre-
sented by eight students.

Miss Louise Smith, of Vernon, has
been elected as one of the Associate
Editors of the Yucca, the college an-
nual.

The first football game to be played
by the Eagles of the North Texas State
Normal college, with a member of the
Texas Inter-Collegiate athletic asso-
ciation this season, was the Arms-
tie day game played with the East
Texas State Normal of Commerce.
This game was played at Denton on
the normal grounds. The score was
30 to 0 in favor of the Eagles.

The second T. I. A. A. game partici-
pated in by the Eagles was the game

with the Trinity University Tigers,
played in Denton last Friday, Novem-
ber 18. The score was 13 to 6 in fa-
vor of Denton.

Before the opening of the T. I. A. A.
schedule the Eagles played several
games with teams in other confer-
ences.

Metropolitan Artists Heard

The artists' course at the North Tex-
as State Normal College was auspici-
ously opened by the recital by Eve-
lyn Scotney, coloratura soprano, of the
Metropolitan Opera Company, New
York, and Maximilian Rose, violinist,
given in the Normal College auditori-
um on Wednesday evening, November
8. Honors were equally divided be-
tween Miss Scotney and Mr. Rose.
The violinist won his audience in his
opening number, the first movement
from the Wieniawski Concerto in D
Minor. Miss Scotney, who appeared
in Denton several years ago, is a de-
lightful singer. Her light, coloratura
tones are exquisitely birdlike in effect
and these were displayed to best ad-
vantage in the Aria from "Mignon."

Colonel Alvin C. Owsley, recently
elected National Commander of the
American Legion, was formerly a stu-
dent of the North Texas State Nor-
mal College, and the A. E. F. and Sil-
ver Stripers' clubs of the Normal col-
lege took a prominent part in the ova-
tion by which he was welcomed home
from the convention at New Orleans.
On the next day Colonel Owsley ad-
dressed the students of the college,
giving a stirring appeal for American-
ism.

This year the W. T. S. N. C. will
debate with Simmons College, Abilene;
Southeast Oklahoma College for Tea-
chers, Durant, Okla.; Southwest Texas
State Normal college, San Marcos, and
Sam Houston Normal Institute, Hunts-
ville.

With best wishes to your paper, I am
Yours sincerely,
Elizabeth Hayes

1702 W. Sycamore St., Denton, Texas

DIETITIANS INTERESTED IN OFFICE OF HOME ECONOMICS

Interest in various phases of the
home economics and nutrition work car-
ried on by the United States Depart-
ment of Agriculture was evidenced by
members of the American Dietetic As-
sociation attending the third annual
meeting of the association in Wash-
ington, D. C., from October 16 to 18. Over
a hundred visited the department, most
of whom are professionally engaged in
preparing scientifically planned men-
us in hospitals, schools, and tea rooms
or in connection with social welfare
organizations.

In the experimental kitchen the vis-
itors were shown studies now being car-
ried on in the use of hard and soft
wheat flours for making cakes. In the
use of macaroni made from a rust-re-
sistant variety of North Dakota wheat.
In measuring the internal temperatures
of cooked foods, and in making peptic
extracts from citrus fruits and apples.
Dr. W. A. Orton, of the Bureau of
Plant Industry, sent over for exhibit
a collection of vegetables from his "di-
etic" garden. Some dishes made from
these vegetables were also shown be-
cause of their special interest to hospi-
tal dietitians.

In the calorimeter laboratory the vis-
itors saw the large respiration calorim-
eter used in studying the energy ex-
pended by human beings under differ-
ent conditions, also the smaller calorim-
eter, used in studies of the changes
taking place in fruits and vegetables.
An experiment was in progress with
the small calorimeter in which the en-
ergy elimination and gaseous exchange
of bananas during ripening were being
measured.

RECORD KILL OF PREDATORY ANIMALS MADE BY TEXAN

Texas holds the record for the high-
est individual catch of predatory ani-
mals made by one hunter in one month
according to a report received by the
United States Department of Agricul-

ture. The hunter, who was working
near Eagle Pass, in Maverick county
caught 104 coyotes and 10 bobcats in
24 days' actual trapping operations.
This good work was a part of the ef-
fort of the Biological Survey to help
ranchmen in the control of dangerous
and destructive animals throughout
the state. Previous to September,
1921, state funds were available for
this purpose; but since that time only
funds from the Federal appropriation,
amounting to \$15,100, have been avail-
able to carry on the work.

Even with this small fund, however,
much has been done. Individual stock
men, or groups of stockmen in clubs
who wish to obtain protection of their
own interests, have agreed to pay two-
thirds of the salary of the hunters as-
signed to their various territories, and
the other third is paid from the Feder-
al funds. In this way about 20 hunt-
ers can be retained on the force. This
plan has been readily adopted in spite
of a general shortage of money and a
slump in the ranching business. Cam-
paigns were started in different coun-
ties, with excellent results. In addi-
tion to trapping, shooting, and hunt-
ing with dogs, a great many predatory
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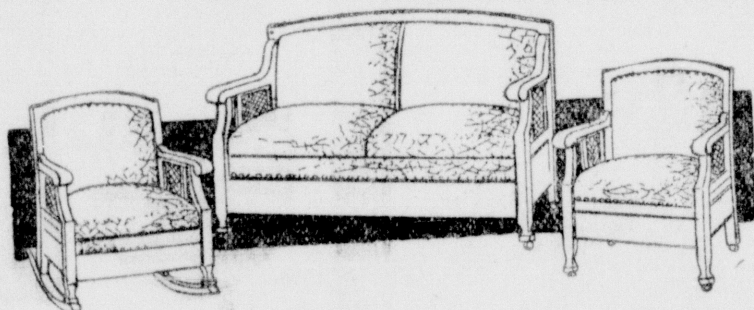
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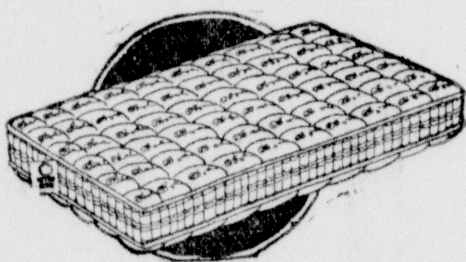
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BOWERS WILL FIGHT "BATTLING" BAILEY

LOCAL BOXER MATCHED WITH DALLAS BOY FOR EIGHT ROUNDS THIS WEEK

"Barnum and Bailey" will come to Vernon Friday night, but no manager will accompany them. Barnum, whose other title is "Kid," gave an advance showing here a short time ago when he boxed a two round preliminary with Roy Hance. He is matched for a four or five round preliminary with the same opponent next Friday night.

The main event of the show, which will be staged at the Peck building, under direction of C. E. Gilliland, will be an eight round bout between Dick Bowers, popular local featherweight, and "Batling" Bailey, a protege of one of the Dallas athletic clubs.

Bowers has built up a big following here, and it was this fact which made the present match possible, according to Mr. Gilliland. The Vernon lad has scored a technical knockout this season over Eddie Bird, of Crowell, and had at least an even break a few days ago against Delbert Webb, one of the most formidable junior light weights of the Southwest.

According to Capt. Elmer E. Laning, of the athletic club at Dallas, Bailey is a fast and hard slugger and is in fine trim. Capt. Laning is expecting to accompany the fighter here, it was stated.

Bowers is training out daily with Delbert Webb and others, and expects to be in excellent condition by the night of the fight. Bailey has agreed to make 130 pounds for the bout, and Bowers will probably weigh in at 128 pounds.

Bowers stated yesterday that he looks at the forthcoming battle as a chance to break into the boxing game at Fort Worth and Dallas. It is understood that Capt. Laning's visit here is mainly for the purpose of watching Bowers perform, as reports of his speed and footwork have awakened interest of Dallas fight promoters.

Blue Lodge Gives Banquet

Members of the Blue Lodge, A. F. & A. M., were guests at a delightful banquet at 7 p. m. last Friday, following which work was done in the "entered apprentice" degree.

Those present at the banquet were W. F. McGee, Tom Duke, Frank Hood, W. B. Abbott, W. R. Hooper, Moss Lovelace, Roy McConihe, O. A. Branson, Knox Kinard, Rex Boyd, Sam Napier, J. V. Owen, C. H. Randel, Dee Norwood, Carl Lowellyn, J. D. Ferguson, Chas. H. Thompson, H. A. Thompson, L. E. Kester, G. W. Moseley, Innes McCrary, William Berry, T. E. Pierce, H. H. Hopkins, J. H. Stephens, B. B. Brooks, Clarence McCaleb, P. A. Denny, H. W. Norwood, G. A. Crenner, R. W. Abbott, Crutch Cole, Clay Britte, Homer Wilson and E. M. Haney.

SOCIAL

FIRST BIRTHDAY OBSERVED BY HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

The Home Economics Club celebrated its first anniversary with a guest day program last Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. R. Hooper, on South Tolar street.

The guests were met at the door by Mrs. J. A. Birdsong, president of the club, and the hostess. They were conducted by Mrs. H. A. Connor to the unique punch bowl consisting of a 150 pound block of ice, into which large yellow and pink chrysanthemums had been frozen. Delicious punch was served from the center of the block by Mrs. Roy W. Abbott and Miss L. L. Castleberry.

The following program was given to about 40 guests and members:

Welcome to guests—Mrs. J. A. Birdsong.

Story of Opera—Aida—Mrs. Dee Norwood.

Thanksgiving story—Miss Leola Smith.

Demonstration—Table Service—Miss Goodfellow, Miss Robbie Castleberry, and Mrs. A. F. Winston.

An attractive plate lunch, consisting of turkey souffle in patty shells, cranberry salad, olives, pickles, nut bread sandwich, hot tea, and date pudding was served.

WILDCAT

By special correspondent.

Wildcat, Nov. 20.—Mrs. Henry Richie's father, R. E. Miller, is here from Kansas on a visit. He is on his way to San Antonio.

George Henry Richie is still ill. Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Owen, of Vernon, visited Mrs. G. W. Hildebrand and family Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Virgil Hildebrand's little daughter is ill with a cold.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Richie and Mrs. J. A. Walker, of Vernon, visited their brother, Henry Richie, Tuesday evening.

John Wilford, of Altus, Okla., is here visiting Henry Richie and Ben Luttrell.

The Home Demonstration club met Wednesday evening with Mrs. Jasper Burk and made a dress form and also arranged a year book to be sent in to Miss Eula Goodfellow. Those present were Mrs. G. W. Hildebrand, Mrs. H. N. Brooks, Mrs. J. L. Burk, Mrs. L. G. Luttrell, Mrs. Virgil Hildebrand, Mrs. Jim Moore, Mrs. Frank Hildebrand, Miss Maud Hildebrand, and two visitors, Mrs. Liles of the Hinds community and Miss Elsie Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Boone Martin of West Vernon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Luttrell.

Sid Bradley has moved to Vernon. Little Beulah Patton is ill this week.

Prof. Williams of Vernon, will be out next Sunday evening with the Wildcat singing class. Everybody is

invited to attend the singing.

H. P. Droemer and his son, Louis, went to Farmers Valley Sunday.

Earl Luttrell and family of Hillcrest, were over to I. G. Luttrell's Sunday evening.

Earl Madden, of Lockett community, visited his uncle, Henry Richie and family Sunday afternoon and night.

Mrs. I. G. Luttrell went to Vernon to preaching at the Christian church Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Luttrell.

Mrs. Methaney had the misfortune of losing her purse while in Vernon; considerable money in it.

Saturday evening. The purse contained considerable money.

Foster's Weather Bulletin

Washington, Nov. 20.—Between midnight and 2 a. m. Nov. 11, one of the most destructive earthquakes of recent years occurred in northern Chile and thousands of human lives were lost. These great events can be successfully foretold and many lives saved thereby, but I have not the clerical force to make the calculations and orthodox scientists are so bound in the fool ideas of the dark ages that they refuse to look at sensible reasons. They base their nonsensical, so-called science (?) on a belief that the interior of the earth is intensely hot, that water gets into that heat and the steam makes the earthquake. Come down to modern times and let the dark ages sleep. There are no hot bodies in the solar system, sun and planets are great magnets; so are the clouds that, coming near each other, pass electricity to equalize their charges; lightning is a cloudbreak results. Any electrician can prove that at the time of that great earthquake, the sun, the

moon, earth and several other planets occupied relative positions that always cause a shock among magnets where some of them are overcharged and some are under charged. The dark ages have a stronger hold on our science than on our ignorant, superstitious people. Local forecasts follow:

Cold on Dec. 1

Section 1: North of 47 between 90 and Rockies' crest; highest temperatures Dec. 3 and 8, lowest 1 and 6; average warmer than usual; precipitation normal; most severe storms and most precipitation near 3.

Sec. 2: North of 47, east of 90; lowest temperatures 3 and 8, highest 5 and 10; average warmer than usual; most severe storms and most precipitation near 5; normal precipitation.

Sec. 3: Between 39 and 47; and between 90 and Rockies' crest; highest temperatures 4 and 8, lowest 6 and 11; average warmer than usual; most severe storms and most precipitation near 4; normal precipitation.

Sec. 4: East of 90, between latitudes 39 and 47; highest temperatures 1 and 9, lowest 5; average warmer than usual; most severe storms and most precipitation near 6; normal precipitation.

Sec. 5: South of 39, between 90 and Rockies' crest; lowest temperatures 1 and 7, highest 4 and 9; average warmer than usual; most severe storms and most precipitation near 5; normal precipitation.

Sec. 6: South of 39, east of 90; lowest temperatures 3 and 9, highest 5 and 11; average warmer than usual; most severe storms and most precipitation near 6; normal precipitation.

Storms on West Coast

Sec. 7: North of 43 1-2, west of Rockies' crest; highest temperatures

2 and 8; lowest 4 and 9; average warmer than usual; most severe storms and most precipitation near 3; normal precipitation.

Sec. 8: South of 43 1-2 to Mexican line, west of Rockies' crest; highest temperatures 2 and 6; lowest 4 and 9; average warmer than usual; most severe storms and most precipitation near 3; normal precipitation.

All indications are that first week of December will be unusually warm with more than usual rain, followed by bad storms of the Christmas holidays.

by very loud cold, stormy weather, inclined toward blizzards. There are so many great magnets concerned in that great storm period that I will not be able to get the exact dates. Better get your outdoor affairs arranged before end of November, although you may get some good weather first few days of December. When that great storm breaks you will need shelter.

Notice

This is to notify the public that our farm 12 miles west of Vernon is posted. No hunting will be allowed. Please take notice—Mrs. L. Lehman, Ed Lehman. 90-3tp. Tue

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Yard Wide Longcloth, 10 Yds. for \$1.45

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Women's Silk Hose for \$1.00

We have been selling these special at \$1.35 and have decided to close out what we have left at \$1.00 per pair—Black and brown, all sizes only \$1.00 Pair.

Fancy Turkish Towels, 25c Each

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"Are we giving our boys and girls the same shelter and care which we extend to the material things in this life?"

This was, in effect, a question propounded by Dr. Robert E. Dickenson, pastor of the First Methodist church, to a large audience at the local church last Sunday.

"I like to see the fine horses, poultry and livestock. It's a mark of distinction to note the wonderful farm products and the pride with which the owner exhibits them. It would be far from my purpose to discourage such enterprises. But how about our boys and girls?"

The minister used this illustration to remind parents and grown-ups of their great responsibility and the duty which they owe to the rising generation. "We should watch our action, lest we develop a wealth of material things, and then stunt our boys and girls," the pastor warned.

Praises Education
Dr. Dickenson called attention to the fact that Texas stood 33rd in the matter of education among the states of the union. Commenting on this fact, the minister said: "We are proud of this great state and rightly so but these statistics reveal a condition which demands attention. Today, boys and girls who should be in school, are working in the fields, and thus they are deprived of the shelter and attention to which they are entitled, and for which we are responsible to them."

The minister praised the glorious history of Texas and said that children should know of this history, and that it was only through the public schools that this could be accomplished.

Stewards Installed

Following the sermon, which made one of the strongest appeals of any message ever heard in the local church, the stewards for the ensuing year were installed. They were as follows: U. S. Davis, president; J. A. Harrington, V. P.; P. M. McKinley, Sec.; J. L. Showers, Treasurer; G. W. Backus, W. H. Huggins, J. W. Brock, Jr., J. A. Carney, W. M. Crutchfield, T. G. Curry, E. C. Christian, C. J. Farrell, L. G. Hawkins, J. B. Morris, S. E. Porterfield, E. P. Robertson, J.

L. Swartwood, Mrs. J. H. Watts, Mrs. T. M. Ferguson, W. A. Wilhelm, W. D. Berry, R. E. Wafer, W. A. Walker, G. T. Key, Moss Lovelace, T. J. McGill, D. B. May, W. R. Hooper, E. M. Lettwyler, P. C. Stinnett, E. L. McHugh, Recording Steward.

Bulletin Makes Hit

The first edition of the weekly bulletin made its appearance at the church last Sunday, and proved to be a boon to the entire congregation. The publication, which consisted of four pages, carried a complete program and a wealth of information concerning the church activities. Everyone was presented with a copy upon entering the church.

RADIO PROGRAM WRAP FORT WORTH STAR-TELEGRAM

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Daily Features

9:45 to 10 a. m.—Opening market quotations, 485 meters.

11 a. m. to 11:30 a. m.—United States weather report; late cotton and grain quotations; first call cotton seed oil. Department of Agriculture, fruits, vegetables and cattle divisions, quotations, 485 meters.

8 to 8:30 p. m.—Closing market quotations, 485 meters.

3:45 to 4 p. m.—Financial review, curb, stocks, bonds and cotton, 400 meters.

7:15 to 7:30 p. m.—Bedtime story (except Saturday.)

Special Features

(400 meters)

Sunday, Nov. 26

11 a. m. to 12:15 p. m.—Complete services of the First Methodist church, Dr. J. W. Bergin, pastor; Will Foster organist.

2 p. m.—Sermonette.

3:30 to 4 p. m.—Sabbath Day program presented by the choir of the First Presbyterian church.

Monday, Nov. 27

9:30 to 10:30 p. m.—Dance concert presented by Dot Echois McCutchan and her orchestra.

Tuesday, Nov. 28

9:30 to 10:30 p. m.—Concert presented by the Harmony Club of Fort Worth, the fifth of its winter radio concert series.

Wednesday, Nov. 29

9:30 to 10:30 p. m.—Concert presented by the Entertainers Club of Fort Worth.

Thursday, Nov. 30

9:30 to 10:30 p. m.—Concert by Theodore Rosenthal and a group of Cadet Band.

Friday, Dec. 1

9:30 to 10:30 p. m.—Concert de lux.

presented by the High School Cadet band.

Saturday, Dec. 2

6:30 to 6:45 p. m.—Review of tomorrow's international Sunday school lesson by Mrs. W. F. Barnum, leader of the Barnum Bible Class of the First Methodist church.

Note—Saturday night is observed as a quiet night by The Star-telegram as a courtesy to its Fort Worth and vicinity tube set owners wishing to try for long distance records. No programs after 6:45 p. m.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY WILL STUDY PROBLEMS OF INDIA

The Woman's Missionary society of the First Methodist church will hear a fascinating study of India next Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Rena Watts. The program is a part of the mission study course being conducted by the organization. Following the discussion, a social hour will be enjoyed. The program follows:

The Significance of India's Heritage—Mrs. Bertha Ross.

History of India—Mrs. John Morris Paredita Hamball—Mrs. S. E. Lloyd.

Relation of India to Orient and the West—Mrs. W. D. Berry.

India's struggle with Disease—Miss Rice.

Health Problems and Obstacles—Mrs. Stevens.

Progress in Sanitation—Mrs. Dale Shive.

India's Burden of Poverty—Mrs. Rena Watts.

Causes of Poverty—Mrs. T. J. McGill.

Possibilities of Economic Improvement—Mrs. John Reese.

Conditions of Capital and Labor—Mrs. Walter Ferguson.

Handicaps in Education—Mrs. T. M. Ferguson.

Seriousness of India's Economic Needs—Mrs. Wakefield.

Women's Rights—Mrs. W. A. Walker.

An Outgrowing Social System—Mrs. M. L. Bird.

Hinduism—Mrs. Y. H. Babasin.

Child Marriage—Mrs. R. S. Crow.

India as a Mission Field—Mrs. R. E. Dickenson.

The Family in India—Mrs. T. H. Price.

Comparison of Lot of Womanhood in Christian and Pagan Lands—Mrs. L. D. Terrell.

Round Table—Do We Appreciate Our Opportunities?—Led by Mrs. J. N. Johnson.

HARROLD

Harrold, Nov. 20.—The funeral services of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cobb, of Electra, were held in the Methodist church. Services were conducted by Bro. J. W. Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Wilson, Sr., and son, Rollin have been called to Chickasha, Okla., on account of the illness of relatives.

Bad weather prevented the meeting of the Home Demonstration Club last Thursday afternoon. The meeting was postponed until Thursday of this week. The D. S. department of the school will entertain the club at their regular class hour from 1 to 2:30. All club members and visitors will be welcomed.

The Y. C. U. organization met at its regular hour Sunday evening with Da Vaughan as leader. A Missionary program was given. The following persons took part, Messrs. Alford Crawford, Harrison King, and Misses Nannie Sanderson and Ruth Gribble.

Mrs. Ivan Allen has returned home after spending a couple of weeks in a Vernon sanitarium. The community is glad to have her back with us again. After a few days at home she will join her little son, Alfred, at her parents' home at Mineral Wells for an extended visit.

Mrs. Claude Waggoner, of the Elliott community, is in a Vernon sanitarium for an operation.

The ladies of the Baptist Missionary Union met with Mrs. N. F. Strickland and quitted this week.

Prayer meeting is held each Wednesday night at the Baptist church. Everybody is welcome.

The children of W. H. Holt have been ill but are better at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Trisler, of Guyer and son, and Miss Rosa Trisler of Ellett, spent the week-end in Vernon at the home of J. A. Gilliland.

We are for our own and our neighbors' homes, for those who are not, as well as those who are well able to carry plenty Old Line Insurance. Give your Home this additional and most excellent protection at a very low cost and then get your neighbors, those especially who need it most and are least able to pay to join us and so protect them, and thus protect your community. Anyone can get 10 or 12 members and we pay you well for the work. See Dewey Wilson, Secretary, VERNON MUTUAL LIFE AND ACCIDENT ASSOCIATION. Office over Massie-Wright store. \$9-2p

Miss Baird Undergoes Operation

Miss Selma Baird, 16 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Baird, underwent an operation for appendicitis Saturday afternoon, at the family residence in Northwest Vernon. Her speedy recovery is expected.

Fresh candy—Ferguson Drug Co. 90-2tc.

Electric light globes—Ferguson Drug Co. 90-2tc.

NOTICE TO VERNON SANTA CLAUSES: Here's the place to fill your packs, light on purses, heavy on backs. Presbyterian Guild Bazaar, December 2nd. \$9-5tc.

We have a complete line of ammunition and guns.—North Texas Hardware Co. \$9-2tc.

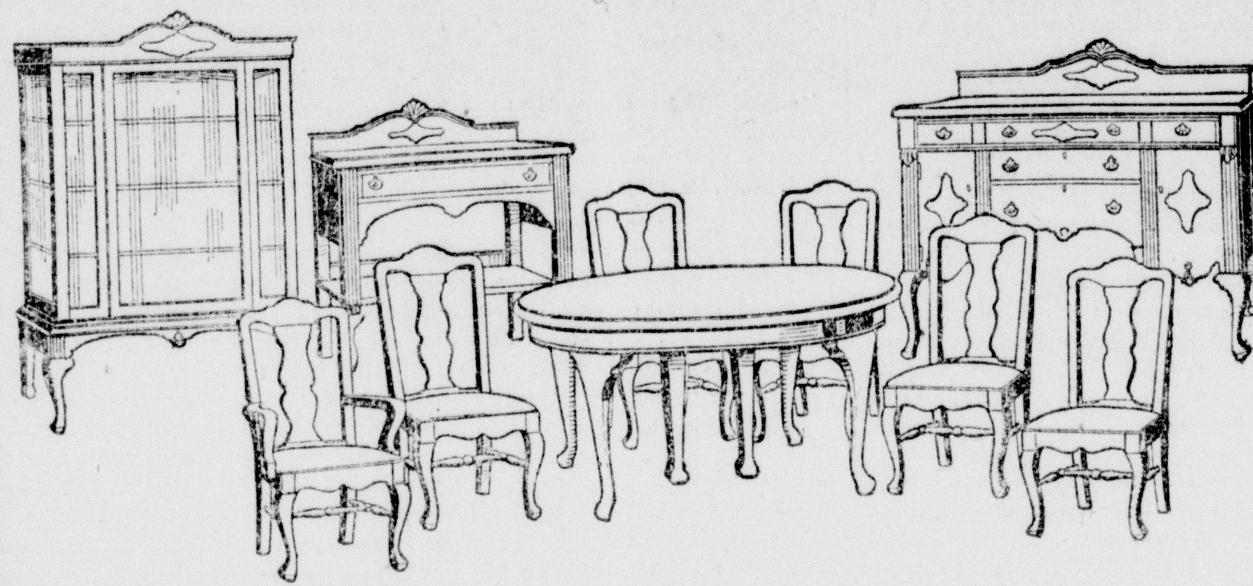
We have complete line of Thanksgiving cards.—Ferguson Drug Co. 90-2tc.

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EATING HOUSE

A Dining Room Suite That Will Bring Pride and Satisfaction



DO you realize how closely furniture is associated with your everyday life? Two hours daily, at least, you spend in your dining room. What greater pride and satisfaction than having that room reflect a real, homey atmosphere, supported by furniture of quality and distinction? Besides, such purchase is a lifelong investment.

-:- T. J. YOUNGBLOOD -:-

Let Us Furnish Your Home

Opening of the New Store In Vernon, Texas

T. B. Smythe & Sons of Forest, Miss., have bought the Freeman stock from the J. W. Murphy Salvage Co. and will Continue the business in the same building.

New Stocks Will Be Added

Complete lines of all kinds of staple and fancy merchandise will be carried by the new firm. We are gradually closing out our interests in Mississippi and concentrating our business in Vernon. The policies of this store will be on substantial lines and prices will be governed by market conditions all ways the lowest possible profits consistent with good merchandising.

We Invite You to Come To See Us

A sale is being inaugurated now to begin closing out the present stock on hand and about \$40,000 worth of merchandise which is in transit from our other stores. We want to get acquainted with every customer in the radius of Vernon, Texas and hope to be able to establish a store that you'll be proud of.

Respectfully

T. B. SMYTHE & SONS

Vernon, Texas

Freeman's Stand

FARM WOMEN LEARN TO USE
BETTER MARKETING METHODS

Acting upon the advice of extension workers, South Carolina women have made steady advances in standardizing the products they offer for sale and in increasing their output. For example in Charleston county, starting with 1 woman two years ago, there are now over 70 women shipping in weekly their graded and guaranteed eggs. Two years ago no one thought of fattening poultry before sending to market. To day no one thinks of sending poultry to market without first fattening it. The women realize as never before that a standard bred fowl produces higher-priced eggs and market poultry than a mongrel. The improvement in preserving is also marked. Two years ago only one woman produced really standard preserves and jelly. Now there are nine who can for market and many others who put up a few dozen to sell. The original woman who sold preserves has so developed her business that she has built a factory and has planned for an output of 10,000 containers. The members of the local home demonstration club assist her and in this way not only make pocket money for themselves but improve their own work, and in a few years the entire community bids fair to be well known for its specialized products. The number of dozen eggs sold, as reported to the extension department, is 8,142, and the pounds of poultry 19,667. The value of canned goods actually sold is \$542, and the total amount of all products is \$8,504.94.

In the state last year approximately 5,000 containers of such standardized products as Dixie burgo, pine bark fish stew, Brunswick stew, soup mixture, blackberry jam, fig preserves, plum jelly, grape juice, artichoke relish, and butter were put on the market through the South Carolina Home Producers' Association. This year the contracts have been signed for about 200,000 containers.

Subscribe for The Vernon Record.

We want to buy all kinds of household goods.—Lisenbee Furniture Co. Phone 352. T51c.

Notice

All my land is posted and anyone found hunting with dogs or guns on same will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

J. H. KINCHELOE.
85-11p.

Cash paid for clean cotton rags at The Record office. No buttons or stockings.

COTTONTAIL RABBITS GOOD
AS GAME, BAD FOR ORCHARDS

In spite of their good qualities as feed and game, cottontail rabbits in many places become a great nuisance to orchards and farm crops, and control measures are necessary to prevent their increase. In addition to the natural checks affected by diseases and predatory animal enemies, the usual ways of preventing abnormal increases in their numbers according to the Biological Survey of the United States Department of Agriculture, are by hunting, trapping, fencing or poisoning.

In many states east of the Mississippi rabbits are protected as game, and the close season for them must be observed. The Game Laws for 1922 issued by the United States Department of Agriculture as Farmers' Bulletin 1288, shows the requirements of each state. In some states rabbits may be taken with dog, trap, or snare at any time but must not be shot during the close season. In a number of states having a close season for rabbits the laws permit farmers and fruit growers to destroy the animals to protect crops or trees.

Poisoned baits can be used to keep down the numbers of rabbits where domestic animals can be prevented from gaining access to the poison. Shooting for sport and using for meat, however, preferable and will usually hold the animals in check. Rabbit-proof fences can be profitably built when the area to be protected is not too large. Various washes distasteful to rabbits are recommended for use on tree trunks, as well as different mechanical contrivances to keep the hungry animals from eating the bark and girdling the trees. Feeding rabbits in winter with winter prunings of apple trees or corn, cabbage, or turnips has been practiced successfully in some orchards, on the theory that it is cheaper to feed than to fight them.

TURKEYS: Mammoth Bronze breeding stock for sale. As good blood as can be had. See me before you buy.—Mrs. Henry Riehl, phone 9918 R. 21 or P. O. box 27. 88-11p.

We have anything you will need in cooking utensils to prepare your Thanksgiving dinner.—North Texas Hardware Co. 89-21c.

Read The Vernon Record want ads. All you have to do is to tie them up. The Presbyterian Guild Bazaar does the rest. December 2nd. 89-51c.

IRISH REBEL LEADER
IS NOW PRISONER

Though an Englishman born, Erskine Childers has shown himself one of the most rabid Irish Republicans, rising to the position of chief-of-staff of Eamon de Valera, the Spanish-American chief of the Irish irreconcilables. Childers is now a prisoner of the Free State troops. His wife is the daughter of U. S. Senator D. U. Fletcher, of Florida, and a descendant of John Hancock.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Wilbarger County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon O. E. Hempel by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 4th Judicial District, but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 4th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the County Court of Wilbarger County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Vernon, on the first Monday in January A. D. 1923, the same being the 1st day of January A. D. 1923, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 22nd day of August A. D. 1922 to a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1842, wherein Farmers State Bank of Vernon, Texas, is Plaintiff, and O. E. Hempel, is Defendant, and said petition alleging that on the 6th day of August 1921, the defendant, made, executed and delivered to Plaintiff his certain promissory note for the principal sum of \$244.00, payable to the order of Plaintiff at Vernon, Texas, and due on the 6th day of September 1921, and later for valuable consideration, extended time of payment until the 6th day of November 1921, said note bearing interest from maturity until paid at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, and providing for the 10 per cent additional if it sued upon or placed in the hands of an attorney for collection. That said note being a renewal note given and delivered to Plaintiff by defendant executed on the 6th day of December 1919 for the principal sum of \$100.00 and originally due on the 6th day of January 1920, and at the time of the execution of the note the defendant, plaintiff his chattel mortgage, a certified copy of which is attached to the original petition and made a part of same. Said note is past due and unpaid, and the defendant though often requested has failed and refused to pay the same or any part thereof, save and except the credits shown on said note to-wit: \$10.55.

Plaintiff prays that it have its judgment for its debt, \$244.00, interests and attorney fees, for a foreclosure of its chattel mortgage lien, for a writ of sequestration, and for costs of suit etc. Herein fail not but before said Court, at its aforesaid regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Vernon, this 17th day of November, A. D. 1922.

(SEAL) VERNON LUCKY, Clerk.
90-4 The County Court, Wilbarger Co.

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FOR SALE

Five room house, good garage, chicken house, back yard fence, and plenty of back yard room. A bargain for quick sale. Would consider good car as part payment. See W. T. BERRY, Owner. Phone 666

FOR SALE OR RENT—Five room modern house with lights and water, in west Vernon on Stephens street. Will sell reasonable on your own terms. See Thomas Evans. 88-41c

FOR SALE—OR TRADE—for real estate. One five passenger touring car in first class condition. Phone 339. P. O. Box 1146. 90-31p.

FOR SALE—100 white Leghorn hens and pullets, four coops, incubator and brooder. Robert Cole Crowell, Texas. 90-31c

MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Three second-hand heating stoves. Also typewriter covers. See E. L. Dehoney. Phone 321. 90-21p

FOR SALE—Two dozen Rhode Island Red chickens, wood or coal cook stove, oak dining table, also incubator. See Joe Seratus, six miles south of Vernon. 90-21p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Good wagon, harness and team of horses for sale or trade for Ford touring car. See W. H. Burnett, 408 E. Pease St. 90-21p

FOR SALE—30 bowls and 30 pitchers, cheap. Bailey Hotel. 89-21c

FOR SALE—One new No. 11 Dome Cream Separator. Also practically new Wyeth kitchen range. Write C. A. Duncan, Route 18, Vernon. 89-31p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Oakland touring car in good running order. Would consider Ford truck. J. R. Harrison, Route A, Vernon, Texas. 88-31p

FOR SALE—About 40 head nice meat hogs. See Luther Walte, half mile west White City Store. 88-51p

Lost and Found

LOST—In Russell block, Saturday afternoon, 1 ladies leather purse containing \$5.00 in currency. Will the lady who was seen picking up this purse please deliver to Sheriff's office. Floyd Mathery. 11p

LOST—Red bull yearling about twelve months old. Left my place six miles southwest of Vernon, Saturday, November 18. Ed Hughes, Route 3, Vernon. 90-31p

STRAYED OR STOLEN—One brown Jersey yearling bull. Finder please notify C. A. Duncan, Route 2 Vernon and receive reward. 89-31p

LOST—Leather key case with three Yale keys. Finder please return to Record office. H. A. Sours. 89-11p

LOST—Eight steers, two's and four's. Branded straight bar on left hip. Finder please notify, J. T. Oats or L. G. Gould. 90-31p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two furnished apartments for housekeeping. All modern conveniences. Close in, 420 W. Texas St. Phone 202 J. 90-21c

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, conveniently located. See Mrs. Sneed at Dixon's. 89-21c

FOR RENT—Two room housekeeping apartment. Mrs. J. N. Johnson, phone 318, second residence west of City Hall. 89-21c

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WANTED

MEN—Our illustrated catalogue explains how to teach the barber trade quickly, mailed free. MOLLER BARBER COLLEGE, Dallas, Texas. 90-31p

WANTED—Man and wife to live in my home and board me. T. A. Scurluck. 90-21p

WANTED—A girl to keep house. Address B. A. Sturdivant, Route 1, Vernon, Texas. Principal East Vernon school District 33. 85-61p

WHY RENT, WHEN YOU CAN BUY A—cash and \$25 per month. 8 per cent later. Six four room cottage, well located \$250. 320 acres, 200 in cultivation, improved, well located, practically all tillable—sacrifice price, \$22.50 per acre. Mixed land. Terms. New little two room house, lot 60x130. Number of bearing trees and vineyard, well located on good clayed street. Must sell. Price \$600. Some terms. Some nice well located residences clear of debt, to exchange for good farm.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS FOR STATE
ROAD AND BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION.

Scaled proposals addressed to E. L. McHugh, County Judge, for the improvement of certain highways in Wilbarger County, will be received at the office of E. L. McHugh, at Vernon, Texas, until 10 o'clock A. M. December 1, 1922, and then publicly opened and read.

The proposed work consists of the grading of section "A" "B" and "C" on F. A. P. 276. Approximate quantities: Section "A", earth roadway excavation 29,555.5 cubic yards, earth borrow excavation 3,555.5 cubic yards, overhaul 57,400.3 Sta. Yds.

Section "B" Earth roadway excavation 6,732.5 cubic yards earth borrow excavation 4,204.0 cubic yards. Overhaul 3,384.2 Sta. Yds.

Section "C" Earth roadway excavation 11,421.4 cu. yds., earth borrow excavation 1,002.5 cu. yds., overhaul 11,390.2 Sta. Yds.

Detailed plans and specifications of the work may be seen for examination and information may be obtained at the office of Jno. B. Nabers, County Engineer at Vernon, Texas, and at the office of the State Highway Department, State Office Building, Austin, Texas.

A certified, or cashier's check for five per cent of amount bid made payable without recourse to the order of E. L. McHugh, County Judge of Wilbarger County, must accompany each proposal, as a guarantee that the bidder, if successful, will enter into contract and make bond in accordance with requirements of the specifications. The right is reserved by the party of the first part to reject any and all proposals or to waive all technicalities.

Proposals shall be submitted in sealed envelopes and marked "Bids for the construction of the grading on Sec. A, B, or C, F. A. P. 276 in Wilbarger County." Separate bids will be received on sections A, B, and C. The Commissioners reserve the right to bid in the work in the name of the County.

All bids received will be retained by the Department and will not be returned to the bidders. 88-31 Tues.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pendleton returned last week from a six weeks' vacation.

NOTICE—SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas, County of Wilbarger: By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Wilbarger County, on 13th day of November, A. D. 1922, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of Mrs. Henrietta Glass versus W. G. Burton, L. E. Piper, S. D. Lary and W. E. Cabeen No. 2990, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell for cash, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the First Tuesday in December A. D. 1922, it being the 5th day of said month, before the Court House door of said Wilbarger County, in the town of Vernon the following described property, to-wit:

All of lots 9 and 10 in block 29 in the original town of Vernon, Wilbarger County, Texas, levied on as the property of W. G. Burton to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$834.06 in favor of Mrs. Henrietta Glass and costs of suit.

Given under my hand, this 13th day of November A. D. 1922.

W. FRANK EDMONSON, Sheriff.

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Hardware and Harness

WILBARGER COUNTY NEWS

TOLBERT

By special correspondent.

Tolbert, Nov. 20.—A car of coal has arrived and most every family has bought some since the cold spell.

Misses Velma Brumalow and Nell Cotton spent the week end at Kirk and visiting Miss Brumalow's par-

son of J. J. Simmonds and to a large party at last Sunday.

Raymond Swinburn, who is attending Clarendon College, visited home folks the past week.

County Superintendent L. A. Hallan visited the school Tuesday.

Grandma Umerson is very ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. B. C. Wood.

J. S. Archer, Mr. and Mrs. Will Lawson, J. W. Dockery, Elihu Dockery, Doyle Stroud, H. O. Smith and Zola and Oliver Reynolds were in Vernon Saturday.

Robert Stone has purchased a new touring car.

Don Oliver attended singing at Farmers Valley Sunday night.

Ben Lawlis of Oklahoma spent a few days with home folks last week.

Miss Dorey Mae Dockery, of the Elliott community, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dockery.

Rev. R. V. Tooley and family left Monday for Italy, Tex., where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Simmonds have moved to the Baptist parsonage.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dockery of Thalia, visited home folks Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Page made a business trip to Chickiloth Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Reynolds motored to Vernon Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hunter and Luther Crowder of Chickiloth, spent Sunday with E. B. Page and family.

Misses Willie Lee Dockery, Maude Crowder and Elihu Dockery visited Miss Mina Rutledge of Vernon Sunday afternoon.

Miss Monette Brooks, of Farmers Valley, visited Misses Zola and Ophelia Reynolds Saturday night.

Will Moore and his daughter, Mrs. Clemments, have returned from Bell county, where they went on business.

Miss Maude Brantley has returned from Houston.

DOANS

By special correspondent.

Doans, Nov. 20.—The farmers are through picking cotton and are rejoicing over the fine rains.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Goins and Claude Goins have returned from a week's business trip to Burkhornett, Wichita Falls and Byers, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Seidlitz moved to Vernon Thursday and J. R. Harrison moved where Mr. Seidlitz formerly lived.

Mrs. A. T. Warren has been ill the past week. Mrs. Warren is a teacher in the Doans school. Miss Leola Miller has filled the vacancy made by her illness.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Eaton and family and Dow Estes returned Friday from Altus, where they have been visiting relatives the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Stinnett of Vernon, and Mrs. and Mrs. Frank Ward of Burkhornett, visited Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Rowland Sunday.

ODELL

By special correspondent.

Odell, Nov. 20.—Miss Rubie Carlton spent the week-end with Miss Lucille Killough of the Red River community.

The service at the Methodist church Wednesday night was well attended. Rev. L. B. Hankins preached.

Louis Thompson, of the Pleasant Valley community, was a business visitor here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Andrews were visiting friends here Thursday.

Rev. L. B. Hankins preached at the Methodist church Sunday morning and night. A large crowd attended.

Early Beach returned home Sunday night from a business trip to Dallas, Fort Worth and Waco.

Edd Wiggins and J. R. Jones have gone on a hunting trip on Devil's Ridge. Mrs. Mae Wiggins is working in the Jones Wiggins garage during their absence.

Edd White, Jim White and Mr. Phillips were in Vernon Friday.

Onis and Cecil Bell visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bell, Saturday.

Miss Anna Lou Kester spent Saturday night with Misses Hester and Lela Crain.

Several persons from Odell attended the radio concert at Vernon Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Lander are enjoying a few days' visit from Mr. Lander's brother and his family.

Old Stowe, of Fargo community, visited his father and mother in Odell Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Spears made a business trip to Vernon Thursday.

Miss Anna Lou Kester visited Miss Ruby Riddle Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Riddle and daughter, Ruby and Anna Lou Kester visited Mr. and Mrs. Odis Riddle Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Odis Riddle called on Mrs. Riddle's mother Mrs. Sherrell Sunday.

PARSLEY HILL

By special correspondent.

Parsley Hill, Nov. 20.—This community was glad to have a rain and norther. Some of the farmers are up with their cotton picking.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Paschal visited his parents in Vernon Saturday and Sunday. Mr. Paschal is principal of the Parsley Hill school.

Several persons attended an entertainment given by the Vaughn Quartet, of Jacksonville, Tex., last Monday night at Talmage.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Beavers, Tuesday, Nov. 7, a seven pound girl.

Luther and Carol Streit attended the party at Karl Gaggisberg's Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Bursmith visited his sisters, Mrs. Alice Schultz and Miss Annie Bursmith of Vernon, last Sunday.

G. W. Brown and family have returned.

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THALIA

By special correspondent.

Thalia, Nov. 20.—Roy Aubrey, Boss Rourke, Tom Beverly and Walter Lawson, of Crowell, were in Thalia Thursday.

Sam Allen and son, Tom, passed through Thalia Thursday on their way to Roaring Springs.

Fred Rennels, county agent of Foard county, and Mr. Cook, both of Crowell, were in Thalia Thursday. They also visited M. Noel of the Talmage community.

J. L. Rennels took Mr. and Mrs. Odis Barson to Crowell Wednesday, where Mrs. Barson is taking medical treatment.

S. H. Daniels and his son, Vernon, of Altus, Dickens county, were here Friday. They have been visiting Mrs. H. Wright of the Parsley Hill community.

They were on their way home. Mrs. Wright is Mr. Daniel's daughter.

Gus B. Neil, Ernest Grimsley, Lee Sims and Charlie Wood attended a football game at Crowell Friday afternoon between the Crowell high and the American Legion. The high school was too strong for the Legion boys. The score was 20 to 0 in favor of the high school team.

Some time ago we announced that Miss Jewel Cato had accepted a position in the Crowell high school. We have learned that this is a mistake which we wish to correct. She is teaching in the Black school near Crowell.

A pie supper was given Friday night at the school house for the benefit of the school. About \$30 was realized out of the sale. Pete Lindsay got a bar of P. & G. soap for being the dirtiest man present.

Ott Schroeder lost a very fine music by lightning Saturday night.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Richter, Jr., Nov. 14, a fine boy.

Otto Schroeder is building a new room to his house this week.

Joe Connel and Ewald Schroeder made a business trip to Crowell Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Johnson and their daughter, Miss Myrtle left Wednesday for a visit in Altus, Okla.

A number of Thalia people attended the show and national guard meeting at Crowell Thursday.

Earl McKinley and Mr. Barson were in Crowell Friday. Mr. McKinley purchased a new car while there.

W. A. Johnson visited Mr. and Mrs. Slim Gamble of the Ayersville community Thursday.

J. W. Hunt and Rev. O. A. Graydon of Margaret, were visitors in the Will Wood home Wednesday.

FARGO

By special correspondent.

Fargo, Nov. 20.—Fargo farmers are almost through picking cotton. There is very little grain sowed in this community. Most of it is up and looking fine.

Among those who were in Vernon from Fargo last week were Mrs. Jennie Coffee, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Scherer, Mrs. J. S. Mason, Mrs. F. M. Culum and her daughter, Miss Fay, Mr. and Mrs. Haye Carbell, Mrs. C. T. Mason and Mrs. A. J. Walls.

The W. M. S. will meet at the Baptist church Thursday afternoon. Group No. 1 will have charge of the program. Mrs. Standifer, president of the W. M. U. of Vernon, will be present. All members are requested to attend. The program follows: Subject—"The Ministry of Healing"; Song—"Rescue the Perishing"; Devotional—"The Need and Power of Healing"; Matt 9: 27-38, Matt 8: 5-13, James 5: 13-16.

Mrs. P. M. Emmett: "Why is there Sickness in the World?"—Mrs. J. T. Marr: "Personal Service—the Ministry to the Sick"—Mrs. F. M. Culum: "Medical Missions"—Mrs. Lou Ross: "A Call to Mother"—Mrs. Crip: "The Lord's Prayer in mission."

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Walls entertained a number of young people with a party Tuesday evening.

The W. M. S. will give a booth supper at the W. O. W. hall Friday night, Nov. 24. Everybody is invited to attend.

The Baptist Workers' meeting will meet with the Fargo Baptist church Nov. 27 and 28. There will be services all day Tuesday and dinner on the ground.

Mrs. A. T. Dyer has just returned from a visit to Medicine Mound, Wichita Falls and Oklahoma.

Mrs. R. E. Barrell, who has been ill the past two weeks, is able to be out again.

Rev. Owen, of Hauk Hill, preached at the Baptist church Sunday in the absence of the pastor, who attended the convention at Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Mason visited

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Handsome models of Marleen and Veldyne with luxurious fur collars. Priced \$52.50 up to \$125.00 at 20 PER CENT DISCOUNT.

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Suits of Veldyne, Duvet de laine and Poirer Twill plain tailored or self embroidered—some with lovely fur collars. Priced \$24.50 up to \$69.50 at 20 PER CENT DISCOUNT.

WRAPS FOR EVERY
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Beautiful coats fashioned in Bolivia, Normandy and Gerona materials in the new blouse effects side drape models and many new novelty styles. Buckles, silk tassels and the large fancy sleeves add to them attractiveness. Caramel Beaverette and Wolf collars and collars of the same materials as the coats give a variety to choose from. \$16.50 up to \$69.50 at 10 PER CENT DISCOUNT.

MILLINERY SPECIAL
— BEAUTIFUL PATTERN HATS —

We are featuring a choice selection of many of our most beautiful pattern hats at a special price tomorrow. The assortment includes models from the best designers—such as Fisk, Elzee, Johnson and Gold Medal. Among them are hats formerly priced up to \$16.50 at \$9.95



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If you want to get more money for your furs caught this season send them to the **Texas Produce Company, Quanah, Texas**—As Mr. Sam Pinsker has been with the best houses in St. Louis for years in grading department—will pay all the time the same price. We wont give you a bait the first shipment and then skin you on the next one.

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Call at our office and let us discuss electricity with you. We want to give you real service—No, we are going to give you the best service—that's all.

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On December 1st the Texas Public Service Co., will be taken over by the Texas Central Power Company.

To The Farmers

I keep an accurate account of my little business, and for your benefit I submit the following figures. For one year from November the first 1921 to November first 1922, ON THREE CHAIRS in my shop—we did

\$5,094.30

Think of it at prices of 15c and 25c

Allowing each customer a hair cut and shave, 12,735 customers have been served in my shop.

Had these customers been paying the prices they charge elsewhere I would have received \$3,183.75 more.

I saved my trade \$3,183.75 in one year. If it were not for me you would not have these prices.

A STUPENDOUS SAVING TO THE COUNTY FOR BARBER WORK AND BETTER WORK FOR LESS MONEY. Walk a block and save a quarter on a hair cut and shave.

A fresh clean towel for each and every customer. Personal attention to children. No babies on Saturdays.

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Thursday
Nov., 23rd**WE ARE CLOSING OUT**Thursday
Nov., 23rd**OUR ENTIRE \$50,000 STOCK OF
DRY GOODS and FIXTURES****This Is a Bona-Fide Sale! Everything Must Go---Nothing Reserved**

Is the money problem worrying you? Does it seem as if the first of the month comes more often? That the children's clothes wear out quicker, the bills pile up higher than usual? If so and you really have a desire to make your dollars reach farther, get you more, take advantage of the Lowest Price Sale that has ever been offered in Vernon. All of our stock is new and bought on the low market.

Next Thursday, November 23rd., we begin our Closing Out Sale on our New and Up-to-Date \$50,000 stock of high grade dependable merchandise, including fixtures at wholesale cost. All of this stock is new, bought on the low market and you get the benefit of our purchases. This is a chance of a lifetime, and you will find our prices to be far below the wholesale market today.

Take advantage of this opportunity and supply your needs of Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Hosiery, Notions, Hand Bags, Underwear, Sweaters, Comforts, Blankets, Sheets, Towels and Pillow Cases for the entire coming year.

Don't Forget the Date Thursday, Nov. 23**Our Stock Consists of Following Seasonable Goods**

Large stock of new style standard ladies' ready-to-wear.

Large stock of ladies', misses' and children's dress and school shoes—We feature Queen Quality shoes for ladies—Buster Brown school shoes for children. Complete line of ladies', misses' and children's high grade silk, wool and lisle hosiery.

Select assortment of standard silk, wool and cotton piece goods.

Extra large stock of gingham, percales, outings, domestics, sheetings, cretonnes and sateens.

Large stock of ladies' and misses' high grade silk and wool sweaters, kid gloves and wool gloves and millinery.

Men's and boys' high grade suits and overcoats.

Men's and boys' high grade dress shoes and school shoes.

Men's and boys' high grade underwear and hosiery.

Men's and boys' high grade hats, caps, ties, belts and suspenders.

Men's and boys' high grade dress gloves and work gloves.

Men's and boys' high grade dress pants and work pants.

Big stock of men's and boys' high grade wool shirts.

Big stock of men's and boys' high grade standard brand overalls.

Big stock of men's and boys' high grade standard Corduroy suits and pants.

Big stock of men's high grade standard brands khaki and moleskin pants.

Big stock of Men's and boys' sweaters.

Big stock of men's and boys' boots, over shoes and rain coats.

Large stock of Notions, Ribbons, Combs, Brushes, Threads, Braids, Laces, Buttons, Needles, Etc.

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FRESH VEGETABLES POSSIBLE
EVERY DAY OF THE YEAR

With a view to suggesting to those on a restricted diet, particularly to diabetics, ways in which variety might be introduced into the menu, the United States Department of Agriculture has searched the world for promising vegetables, low in carbohydrate. The difficulties of the diabetic diet center mainly around the supply of vegetables and the provision of variety at all seasons. A great number of vegetables have been grown in the course of these investigations. Last year 91 species were planted, so that some vegetable was available every day of the year.

These varieties included asparagus, bean, bush and pole beans, cabbage, carrot, cauliflower, celery, celery chard, chervil, chayote, collards, corn salad, cress, cucumber, dandelion, eggplant, endive, escarole, fennel, kale, kohlrabi, lettuce, mung bean, mustard, New Zealand spinach, okra, onion, leek and shallot, orach, pail-sai, patience, pepper, purslane, radish, rocket, salsify, scorzonera, sorrel, soy bean, spinach, squash, vegetable marrow, tomato, turnip and witloof. All these vegetables are valuable in the diet of the normal person, as well as the invalid, because of vitamins, minerals and bulk they furnish. Many excellent combinations can be made among them. They vary in their composition and suitability for invalid diets, and the department recommends that the advice of a physician be followed in their use.

The department suggests that every diabetic or other invalid dependent on vegetables who can do so should develop a garden, both for the sake of variety in the diet and because of the new interest and hobby it furnishes. Every city patient may find it possible to have a garden on nearby vacant lots. Most of the uncommon vegetables in the foregoing list can be easily grown. Information concerning them may usually be had from the extension agent, whose headquarters are at the state agricultural college, or from the United States Department of Agriculture.

MINNESOTA ADOPTS AREA PLAN
OF TUBERCULOSIS ERADICATION

Minnesota, third in rank as a dairy state, has now definitely taken up the area plan for the eradication of bovine tuberculosis. Counties, state, and the United States Department of Agriculture are to cooperate in carrying on the work. Some time ago a committee of breeders was appointed by the state livestock sanitary board to investigate plans for continuing the fight against the disease. Recently the committee met with the sanitary board and a resolution was unanimously adopted asking the legislature for \$120,000 for area work for two years. The work to be carried on in two counties. In addition the legislature is to be asked for \$500,000 per annum for two years for accredited herd work. The plan is approved by the state veterinarian.

According to the plans laid out, it is proposed that the counties pay for the testing of the cattle at the rate of 25 cents a head. The fund resulting from this charge will be used to pay the inspectors, local, state and federal, who are assigned to the work. Indemnities will be paid in the regular way. The three big dairy states—Wisconsin, New York and Minnesota—are now all taking up area work, which has become the predominant plan for the eradication of the great cattle plague. Some of the states where the infection is light are expecting to be entirely rid of the disease within a few years.

Few Cases of Diphtheria Reported
A few cases of diphtheria have been reported in Wilbarger county, according to Vernon physicians. Nothing approaching an epidemic has occurred, it was stated.

There are two good places to eat: One at home and the other at Charley Brown's Place.

Mr. and Mrs. Verna Weekley were in the Tolbert community on business last Tuesday.

DISTRICT NO. 1

District No. 1 includes participants residing in the City of Vernon. One of the big Automobiles and as many Cash and Gold awards as there are active candidates will be distributed in District No. 1.

Mrs. Floyd Mundy (Opal Edwards) 6,725,400
Miss Celta Green 6,957,150
Mrs. E. E. Luttrell 5,095,425
Mrs. W. P. Durbin 6,547,225
Miss Vesta Seay 2,110,200
David Eddings 2,001,375
Clyde Compton 1,072,250
J. W. Umbarger 1,971,500
W. T. Ponder 4,970,825

DISTRICT NO. 2

District No. 2 includes participants residing outside the City of Vernon. One of the big Automobiles and just as many Cash and Gold awards as there are active candidates will be distributed in District No. 2.

Miss Vivian Lane 6,987,275
Miss Imah Starnes, Oklaunion 4,877,525
Mr. A. F. Page, Chillicothe 6,780,375
Lillie Innon, Tolbert 7,175,300
Miss Clarice Hamilton, Odell 4,455,200
Mrs. John Knapp, Tolbert R 1 5,950,900
Mrs. Verna Weekley 7,005,425
Mrs. H. M. Lacey, Tolbert 3,672,625
Mrs. Hollie E. Davidson, R A 2,875,125
Damon Simmons, R 1 2,416,100

Nov. 25 SATURDAY Nov. 25

Will be Vernon day at Story's First Annual Home Portrait Exhibit and opening of new studio.

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As close as the race now stands, your subscription may be the very one that will bring a small fortune to your choice in the list. Don't wait to be asked, for in their frantic efforts these last few days, the candidate you want to help may not be able to reach you. Pay your subscription direct to the Vernon Record office, if you wish, and the votes will be credited to anyone you choose.

VOTE SCHEDULE

SECOND PERIOD NOV. 20 TO DEC. 2		THIRD PERIOD DEC 4 TO DEC 9		FOURTH PERIOD DEC. 11 TO DEC. 16	
1 year	2.00..... 8,000	1 year	\$ 2.00..... 6,000	1 year	\$ 2.00..... 3,000
2 years	4.00..... 24,000	2 years	4.00..... 18,000	2 years	4.00..... 15,000
3 years	6.00..... 50,000	3 years	6.00..... 40,000	3 years	6.00..... 30,000
4 years	8.00..... 75,000	4 years	8.00..... 60,000	4 years	8.00..... 45,000
5 years	10.00..... 100,000	5 years	10.00..... 80,000	5 years	10.00..... 60,000
6 years	12.00..... 160,000	6 years	12.00..... 125,000	6 years	12.00..... 90,000

The above schedule of votes, which is on a declining basis, will positively not be raised during the campaign. A special ballot, good for 100,000 extra votes, will be issued on every "club" of \$12.00 in subscriptions turned in. A "club" may be composed of small or large subscriptions totaling \$12.00 worth. No subscriptions will be accepted for over six years from any contestant.

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